

WHITE SOX PLAYERS RE-INDICTED

Fourteen-Year-Old Boy Said to Have
Confessed That He Helped His
Mother Murder StepfatherBEATEN WITH
AXE AND SHOVEL

Boy Tells How He and
Mother Clubbed Victim to
Death After Quarrel

He and Nine-Year-Old Brother
Then Carried Body to
R. R. Yard

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., March 26.—Caspar Didia, 14 years old, confessed today, according to the police, that he helped his mother club to death his stepfather, Joseph Sealbins. Then, according to the confession, he and his brother James, nine years old, placed the body in a toy wagon and carried it to the railroad yards where they left it. The body was found early by a switching crew.

He was awakened during the night, Caspar declared, by a quarrel between his mother and stepfather. "I struck him with an axe and a shovel, and my mother bit him with a stick," the police quoted him as saying. "Then my brother and I carried the body away in the cart."

Mrs. Sealbins and the two boys were taken into custody shortly after the body was found.

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ALL CREEDS
MOURN DEATH

Hundreds of Messages of
Sympathy and Regret at
Death of Card. Gibbons

Testimonial From Hebrew
Congregation—Resolution
By Church Federation

BALTIMORE, March 26.—Among hundreds of messages of sympathy and regret at the death of Cardinal Gibbons that continue to pour in at the archiepiscopal residence from persons of all creeds and rank, is an official testimonial from the Baltimore Hebrew congregation. It extends the sympathy of the congregation to the members of the household and to their "Catholic brethren of Baltimore" and concludes:

"We voice the prayer that in God's providence a leader shall be given to the Catholics of America who shall maintain the same noble standards of Catholic dignity, American citizenry and human service."

The Baltimore Federation of Churches, representing virtually all the Protestant denominations of the city, has adopted a resolution expressing appreciation of the life and work of Cardinal Gibbons and extending their sympathy in his death.

"His name has long been a household word in our beloved Baltimore," the resolution continues, "and the fame thereof has reached to world proportions. By the dedication of his life to great Christian ideals, as well as his devotion to the establishment of righteousness, he merits the praise and esteem of all men without distinction of creed or sect."

Jules J. Jasseraud, French ambassador at Washington, sent the following telegram to Bishop Corrigan:

"We mourn with you a prelate admirable for his sanctity; a citizen admirable for his patriotism; a model American in whom during the great crisis France found a friend."

MARKED INCREASE
IN MORTALITY

There was a marked increase in mortality in Lowell this week, according to the report of the board of health issued today. A total of 46 deaths were reported as against 34 last week and 32 the week before. The rates for the three weeks were 22.21, 15.65 and 14.12, respectively.

There was a big decline in the number of cases of measles reported, only 13 being recorded this week as against 46 last week. One death was due to encephalitis lethargica, or sleeping sickness, the second to occur this year from that disease.

Infectious diseases caused two deaths, pneumonia three, bronchitis three, diphtheria one and tuberculosis one. Infectious diseases reported were as follows: Diphtheria, 10; measles, 15; and tuberculosis, three.

There were 15 deaths of children less than five years old and ten of these were less than a year old.

NEW YORK CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, March 26.—Exchanges \$258,215,833; balances \$12,595,001.

Weekly exchanges: \$3,169,343,165; balances \$346,218,099.

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CRITICIZE THE
CITY LIBRARY

State Officials Say it Com-
pares Unfavorably With
Other Similar Institutions

Gives Strong Approval to
Open-Shelf System of
Handling Books

"That the Lowell city library does not compare favorably with similar institutions in other cities of the same class in the number of books circulated in proportion to the population or in the case in which books may be obtained" is the opinion of the state library department, according to a statement made today by Secretary-Manager George F. Wells of the chamber of commerce. Mr. Wells was in conference with the officials of the department in Boston yesterday. It is also stated that the department strongly approves of the open-shelf system of handling books as being calculated to add to the circulation by making it possible for readers to obtain the volumes that are interesting to them.

Critical of Bindery
The state department also criticized the keeping of a so-called "bindery" department in connection with the

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DYING MAN MARRIED

John F. McCarthy on Verge
of Death From Bullet
Wound Weds Miss Cortheli

BOSTON, March 25.—Lying in a cot in the city hospital here with death expected momentarily as the result of a bullet wound, John F. McCarthy was married late last night to Miss Eva Marie Cortheli, 19 years of age. The doctors reported his condition as slightly improved today, although with little hope of his recovery.

McCarthy was shot during an affray in a South End saloon in which his companion, John H. "Larry" McLean, a former major league baseball catcher, was killed last Thursday.

When McCarthy realized that there was virtually no chance of living, he urged that the marriage to Miss Cortheli take place at once. They had been engaged for several months and filed marriage intentions on January 13.

On the arrival of a priest to perform the ceremony, it was discovered that in the haste to arrange the wedding the ring had been forgotten. One of the nurses volunteered the use of her finger ring.

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144 Indictments Naming 18 Men
Returned as Result of Second
Investigation in 1919 Series8 INDICTMENTS
AGAINST EACH

13 Men Indicted in First In-
vestigation and Five Others
Named in New Indictments

Each Indictment Contains
Three Counts Charging
Conspiracy to Defraud

CHICAGO, March 26.—One hundred and forty-four indictments, naming 18 men, have been returned by the Cook county grand jury as a result of the second investigation into the 1919 world series.

Eight separate indictments against each person were returned.

The indictments named the 13 men indicted at the first investigation and also five men charged with taking part in arranging a conspiracy. These men were Carl Zork and Ben Franklin of St. Louis, Ben and Louis Levi, said to be from Des Moines, and David Zelzer, address unknown.

The men reindicted were:
Eddie Cicotte, pitcher, who confessed to receiving \$10,000 to throw games.

Joe Jackson, outfielder, who confessed to receiving \$5000.

Fred McManis, utility infielder.

Chick Gandil, first baseman.

Swede Risberg, shortstop.

Oscar Felsch, outfielder.

Buck Weaver, third baseman.

Hal Chase, former major league first baseman.

Bill Burns, former major league pitcher.

Alta Altel, once champion featherweight fighter.

Rachel Brown, alleged gambler.

Joseph J. Sullivan, alleged gambler.

Each indictment today contained three counts charging conspiracy to defraud, obtaining money under false pretenses and conspiracy to do an illegal act. Bonds were fixed at \$3000 for each indictment or \$24,000 for each man.

MAYOR APPOINTS
SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Dr. Harry B. Plunkett has been appointed city physician for private schools to succeed Dr. Harold W. Jewett, resigned. He will begin his duties April 1 at a salary of \$200 per year. Dr. Plunkett will have under his jurisdiction the following schools: St. Michael's, the Greek Orthodox, St. Marie's in South Lowell and Miss Paxson's private school in NeSmith street. Inasmuch as there was no available civil service list of eligibles, Mayor Thompson was authorized to make the appointment, and Dr. Plunkett will be given a non-competitive examination in the near future.

AMERICAN LEGION POST

An important meeting of the Lowell American Legion post has been called for Monday evening by Post Commander Rutledge. Vital questions of the future policy of the organization in this city will be discussed and voted upon, it is understood.

Moses Greeley Parker Fund
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RESIGNATION
IS DEMANDED

Maine Governor Asks Chair-
man of Public Utilities
Commission to Resign

Objects to Public Official
Acting for Private Interests
—Chairman Not to Quit

AGGUSTA, Me., March 26.—The resignation of Benjamin F. Cleaves as chairman of the public utilities commission was requested today by Governor Baxter. The request was made because he appeared as counsel for the Associated Industries of Maine at a hearing Thursday afternoon before the committee on legal affairs, on the resolve proposing a constitutional amendment for state control and taxation of water powers. Chairman Cleaves informed Governor Baxter that he absolutely refuses to resign and that he shall resist removal as he does not believe any cause for removal exists. He said that early this year he had told the late Governor Parkhurst and Governor Baxter that he desired to be relieved of his duties at their conference in order that he might become executive secretary of the Associated Industries of Maine.

EASTER SUNDAY HERE

Plans for Brilliant Observance if Weather Man Co-
operates

Lowell was all set for her Easter observance today, until the weather man notified a grouch, and gave indications of spoiling all the well laid plans for tomorrow. About noon a vigorous shower spattered the city and a little later came the news that a rainstorm which originated in Colorado was heading northeastward and that this city and the rest of New England could expect cloudy weather at best tomorrow, and in all probability copious showers.

It remains to be seen whether this dire threat will be carried out. Early this afternoon the sun broke through the clouds for a fraction of a minute, but not long enough to kindle hopes in the hearts of the hundreds of Lowellites who plan to appear in new clothes tomorrow.

Despite the industrial depression which Lowell suffered this winter, the stores had their usual pre-Easter jams of shoppers today and while the sales will probably not reach the volume of last year, the national treasury has been checked up.

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FINAL PAYMENT ON
OLD HIGH SCHOOL

The city will make a complete and final payment on the old high school building, in Fifth street next Tuesday when the \$150,000 worth of notes, which were issued in 1901 to pay for the school will become due.

There was a gasp of surprise when City Auditor J. Joseph Hennessy told the newspapermen this morning that the \$150,000, which becomes due Tuesday, represents the total cost of the high school building. It has been maintained as a sinking fund. The new high school addition, which is said to be two and a half times as large as the original building, will cost more than \$2,000,000, a striking example of the increase in the cost of building in the past two decades.

For the first time since 1913, cash and securities in the national treasury have been checked up.

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Elaborate Easter Musical Programs In the Local Churches Tomorrow

This year's Easter music in the local churches will be up to the usual high standard of previous years and will fittingly express the spirit of the resurrection. Special musical programs will be carried out at the high masses and at vespers services in all the Catholic churches tomorrow. The program in Catholic and Protestant churches will be as follows:

<p>ST. PATRICK'S Solemn High Mass 11 o'clock Processional, Surrexit Christus Hodie, Sanctus, Agnus Dei, Hosanna Antiphona, Vidi Aquam, Rosewig Church Choir Introit, Resurrexi, J. Falkenstein Sanctus, A. Silver Mass, St. Thomas, A. Silver (Kyrie, Gloria, Credo, Sanctus, Benedictus, Agnus Dei) Church and Sanctuary Choirs Gradual, Haec Dies, R. P. Abbadie Sanctus, A. Silver Offertory, Terra Tremuit, J. Wiegand Church and Sanctuary Choirs Communion, Pascha Nostrum Sanctus, A. Silver Recessional, Hallelujah Chorus, Handel Church Choir Responses by sanctuary choir of 50 voices; Brother Nilus, director. Church quartet: Miss Frances Tighe, soprano; Mrs. James Morris, contralto; Mr. John McNabb, tenor; Mr. George Egan, bass, assisted by Mr. D. S. O'Brien, baritone; a chorus of 30 voices and M. J. Johnson at the organ. Vespers 4 o'clock Processional, Jesus Christ Is Risen Today, A. Silver Psalm and Antiphons of the feast sung antiphonally, from Bristolow and Hain choir. Church and Sanctuary Choirs Antiphon of the day, Haec Dies, R. P. Abbadie Magnificat, Webbe Antiphon of the season, Regina Coeli, A. Silver Sanctus, A. Silver Benediction, quartet, O Salutaris, A. Pecher Chorus, Tantum Ergo, R. P. Abbadie Church Choir Recessional, Hymn for Easter, Cardinal O'Connell Sanctus, A. Silver</p> <p>ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH Solemn High Mass 11 a. m. Organ Prelude, Surrexit Christus Hodie, A. Silver Kyrie, Mass in F, Rosewig Gloria, Mass in F, Rosewig Credo, Mass in F, Rosewig Offertory, Ave Maria, from opera of Maritani Duet, Katherine V. Hennessy and Frederic G. Bond Sanctus, Mass in F, Rosewig Benediction, Mass in F, Rosewig Agnus Dei, Mass in F, Rosewig Recessional, "Marche-Militaire" Gounod Soloists: Bertha, Coult, Margaret Ennis, Rose McCarthy, Mrs.</p>	<p>ST. ANTHONY'S Solemn High Mass 11 a. m. Organ Prelude, Surrexit Christus Hodie, A. Silver Kyrie, Mass in F, Rosewig Gloria, Mass in F, Rosewig Credo, Mass in F, Rosewig Offertory, Ave Maria, from opera of Maritani Duet, Katherine V. Hennessy and Frederic G. Bond Sanctus, Mass in F, Rosewig Benediction, Mass in F, Rosewig Agnus Dei, Mass in F, Rosewig Recessional, "Marche-Militaire" Gounod Soloists: Bertha, Coult, Margaret Ennis, Rose McCarthy, Mrs.</p>
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Anti-Soviet Rising in Kzan

STOCKHOLM, March 26.—An anti-soviet rising has occurred in Kzan, about 550 miles east of Moscow, on the Volga, according to despatches received. Many soviet officials, including some members of the extraordinary commission in the city, have been killed and the commission's headquarters has been burned.

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Church Choir
Soloist, Miss Irene Harkins
Sanctus—Mass in B Flat, Farmer
Benedictus—Mass in B Flat, Farmer
Agnus Dei—Mass in B Flat, Farmer
Recessional Hymn—Hosanna, Young
Postlude—The Lord Is Great, Mendelssohn

ST. PETER'S CHURCH
Processional—Felicie
Introit—Resurrexi, Perosi
Kyrie, Gloria, Perosi
Gradual—Haec Dies, Ravanello
Victimae paschali, Perosi
Credo—Terra Tremuit, Caluran
Offertory—Ave Verum, Guilmaunt
Ave Verum, Quartet
Sanctus, Perosi
Agnus Dei, Perosi
Communion, Pascha, Tozer
Recessional—Haec Dies, Bordosa
Quartet—Miss Florence Hagine, Miss Sadie Sheehan, John Doyle, James E. Donnelly
Easter Evening Service
Processional—Regina Coeli, Hammerel
Miss Maß Rynno
Solemn Vespers
O Salutaris, Weis
Ave Verum, Guilmaunt
Tantum Ergo, Schmidt
Laude
Recessional—Haec Dies, Bordosa
Miss Gertrude M. Quigley, organist.
Rev. Peter T. Lindman, director.

NOTRE DAME DE LOURDES
High Mass 11 a. m.
Jubilate Deo, Silver
Resurrexi, Labat
Children's Choir
Mass in C, Zangi
Full Choir
Solo by Misses Lucy Gaudette and Josephine Desrocher, Mrs. E. Gaudette, Messrs Letendre and Gaudette.
Offertory, Alleluia, Guilbault
Chorus of Angels in E flat, Whitney
Organ
Regina Coeli, Gastinel
Miss Marguerite Turgeon
March Aux Flambeaux, Guilmaunt
Organ
Vespers 6:30 p. m.
Prelude, Bistate
Psalm, Gregorian Chant
Regina Coeli, Gastinel
Miss Marguerite Turgeon
Benediction
O Salutaris, Luigi
Ave Maria, Miss Emily Gaudette
Tantum Ergo, Miss Josephine Desrocher
March Triumphant, Lambillotte
Organ

ST. ANTHONY'S CHURCH
Solemn High Mass at 9 o'clock.
The regular choir of the church will sing Bishop Da Silva's Mass together with choice compositions of Abbadie, Stewart and De Meillon.
There will be solemn vespers at 7 in the evening and the music will be selected from compositions of Korner and Lambillotte.
During solemn benediction, the "Salutaris" and "Tantum Ergo" from the pen of Bishop Da Silva will be sung. The church choir consists of the following: Miss Ellen Lynch, Mrs. J. H. Donnelly, Mrs. Philip Mooney, soprano; Miss Mary Mack, Miss Mary Santos, contralto; Mr. Charles Panton, Mr. John Hartnett, tenor; Mr. Thomas M. Reilly, baritone; Miss Marie O'Connell, organist.

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH
Sixth Street
Solemn high mass at 11 a. m. Vespers at 7 p. m. A brilliant musical program has been arranged by the choir-master to be sung by the quartet and chorus, assisted by the church choir of 50 boys and men (vested), who will sing the processional, responses and Easter carols.
The soloists: Mrs. James A. Murphy, soprano; Miss Margaret Griffin, contralto; Mr. Thomas P. Boulogne, bass; Mr. James A. Murphy, tenor and choir-master; Mrs. Ella M. Toye, organist.

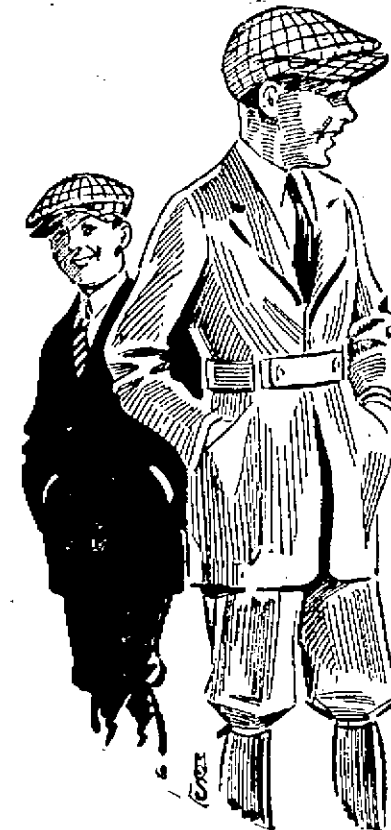
ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH
High Mass at 10:30 A. M.
Processional March, J. V. Flagler
Prelude, J. F. Johnson
Even Song, W. F. Fankles
Melody in D Flat, J. F. Fankles
Asperges, Turner
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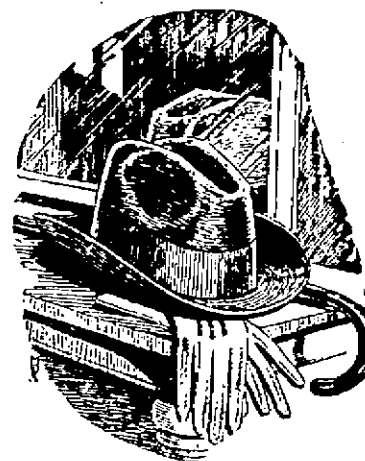
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Benedictus, Turner
Agnus Dei, Turner
Recessional March, Dolby
Organist
Processional March, Bistate
Regina Coeli, Webe
O Salutaris, Holden
Tantum Ergo, Webe
To Drum
Triumphal March, J. V. Flagler
Violinist, Mr. Paul Turotte
Organist and director, Katherine E. Wholey

ST. LOUIS CHURCH
Solemn High Mass at 11 o'clock
Processional, Organ and orchestra
Vidi Aquam, Gregorian
Introit, Resurrexi, Gregorian
Revised Mass, "Missa Pro Pace"
Theo von La Roche
Christe duo, Miss Blanche Germain and Miss Bernadette Fontaine
Gloria, Gratias Agimus
Qui Tollis, Miss Alice Belanger
Graduale, Haec Dies, Hammerel
Exultemus, Gregorian

Miss Alice Belanger
Alleluia, duo, Miss Eldoretta Bordosa, Mr. Edouard Gregoire
Confitebor, duo, Gregoire
In Exultation, Miss Bernadette Fontaine
Credo, Visibilium
Genitum, Mr. Edouard Gregoire
Et incarnatus est, Mrs. Blanche Germain
Et resurrexit, duo, Mrs. Amanda David, Mr. Joseph Mercier
Qui Cum Patre, Mr. Olier J. David
Terra Tremuit, Mr. Olier J. David
Soloists—Miss Fleur Ange Brousseau, Mr. Louis Chailfoux
Sanctus, Mrs. Louise Chailfoux
Benedictus, duo, Miss Blanche Germain, Miss Eldoretta Bordosa
Agnus Dei—Soloists, Miss Alice Belanger, Mr. Levy Fournier, Mr. Edouard Gregoire
Communion, Pascha Nostrum
Recessional, Organ and Orchestra
Vespers and benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 6:30 p. m.
Deus in Adjuvium

Divit Dominus
Confitebor
Beatus Vir
Laude Pueri
In Exultation, Stearns
Magnificat, Lambillotte
Quia Fecit, Miss Fleur Ange Brousseau
Magnificat, Miss Fleur Ange Brousseau
Et Exultavit, Mr. Edouard Gregoire
Deposuit, Mr. Levy Fournier
Gloria Patri, duo, Mrs. Blanche Germain, Miss Alice Belanger
Regina Coeli, J. Gastinel
O Salutaris, Miss Louise Chailfoux
Duet, Miss Blanche Germain, Miss Eldoretta Bordosa
Ave Maria, Miss Henshaw Dana
Tantum Ergo, John H. Wilcox
Duet, Mrs. Louise Chailfoux, Miss Bernadette Fontaine
Laude, Stearns
Mr. James Buckley, orchestra director; Miss Ida Monaghan, organist; Mr. Olier J. David, choir director.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH
Solemn High Mass at 10:30
Processional: Organ, Triumphant March
Introit, Resurrexi, Gregorian
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SENATOR CUMMINS TALKS UPON CONDITION OF RAILROADS

Cost of Operation Must Come Down and
Management Must Be Improved—Col-
lapse in Business—Reduced Revenues

By H. B. R. BRIGGS
WASHINGTON, March 25.—"The
railroads will not go to smash during
the next few months—and there won't
be any more legislation to help them."

This is the plain declaration of Sen-
ator Albert B. Cummins of Iowa, chair-
man of the senate committee on inter-
state commerce, and one of the authors
of the transportation act of 1920.

"Most of the roads will be able to
pay operating expenses at least, even
if a revival of business is deferred un-
til next fall or winter," Cummins said.

And then the senator gave his diag-
nosis of the railroad crisis and pre-
scribed his cure.

"Just two things have to be done,"
says Cummins.

"First, the cost of operation has got
to come down.

"Second, if railroad management is
not efficient it must be changed so that
it will be efficient.

"This change cannot be brought
about by law. It must come by the
opening of the eyes of those who own
the railroads, the real owners, the
stockholders.

"I take it for granted that when
their eyes are opened they will select
competent and efficient men to man-
age their property.

"If it turns out after a fair trial
that we cannot get efficiency in rail-
road management, there will be noth-
ing to do but resort to government
ownership, which I do not believe the
country wants, but may be forced to
adopt.

No further legislation is required for
the successful operation of the rail-
roads, assuming that the management
of the roads is efficient.

"It may be that additional legislation
will be called for later, but it hasn't
become necessary yet.

"The transportation act of 1920 was
not perfect, but we provided the roads
with all they need if they are properly
and wisely managed.

"The difficulty with the railroads at

present is due to a tremendous falling
off in traffic.

"About one-sixth of the freight
equipment of the roads is idle.

"This slump began about the mid-
dle of last November. It was the re-
sult of the general collapse of the
country's commerce, a result of the
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ness naturally must be less on a fall-
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ing down.

Costs Far Too High

"That, however, doesn't account for
the entire situation, or even for the
greater part of it.

"The railroads' condition is due to
the fact that the cost of operation is
far too high. It must come down.

"Steel products must come down,
and wood products. Judge Gary was
mistaken when he said that the price
of steel would not come down. It will,
at least as soon as labor comes down.
And labor, too, must come down.

"But I don't believe that labor ought
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POLYGLOT POPULATION

Almost Every Country on

the Globe is Represented

in Lowell

Lowell is one of the most cosmopol-
itan cities in the world, bar none.
Every continent has sent its quota
here to go into the melting pot of fu-
ture Americans. Every language, al-
most every dialect, has its representa-
tives here, although English, of course,
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accompany them, it is believed that
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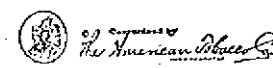
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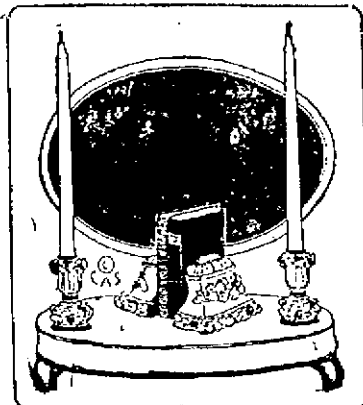
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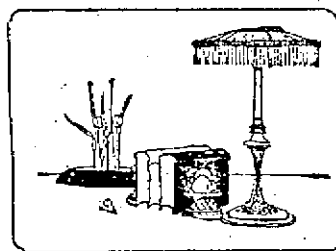
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After-Dinner Coffee
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Tip Tables
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knowledge of geography, customs, tra-
ditions, and religions coming to light
than years of class-room work could
produce. Those who have thought of
this plan recommend it to the atten-
tion of those interested in real Ameri-
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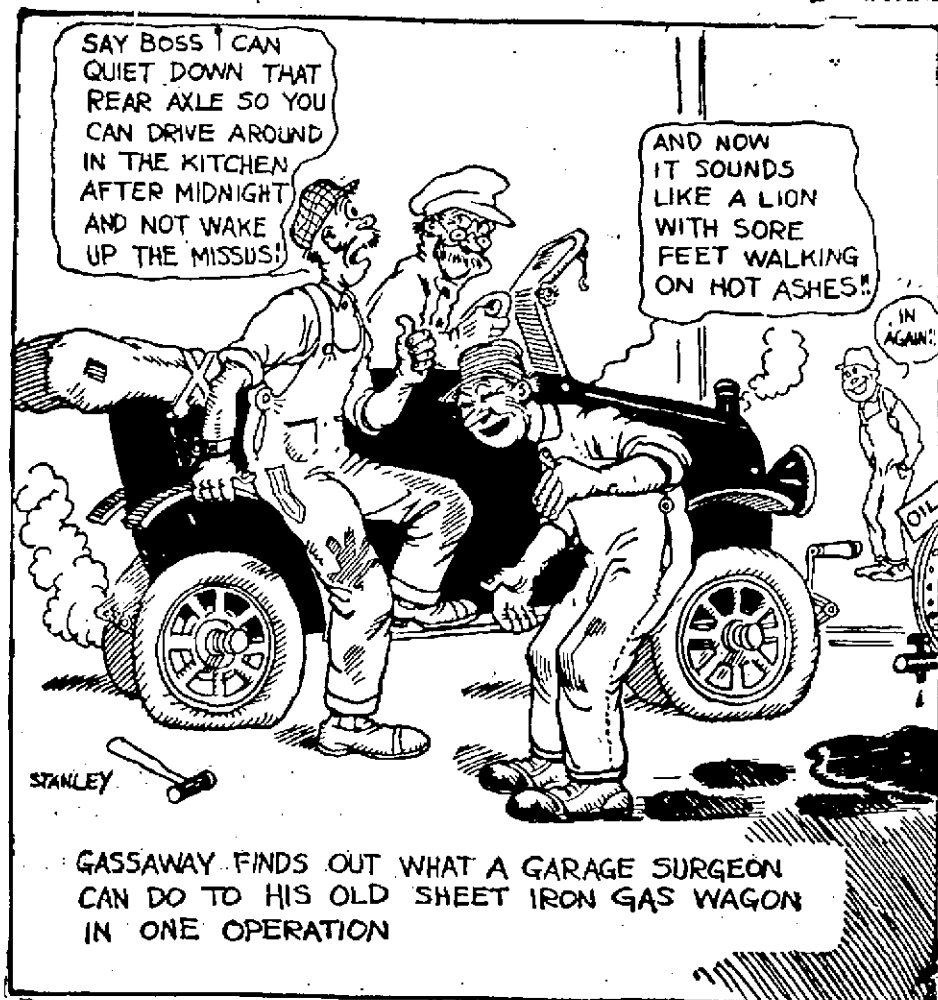
The greatest per capita water power
development of any country in the
world is that of Norway, Canada com-
ing second.

among the foreign-born in Lowell be-
lieve that the results of such a plan
would prove startling. The fame of
this city as a centre where all races
may meet on a footing of justice and
friendship has spread throughout the
Old World and the New. Persians,
East Indians, Laplanders, others from
strange and quaint portions of the
globe would probably be located, it
is felt. A native of San Marino, the
smallest republic in the world, a dot
on the map of Italy, might be discov-
ered. Andorra, the tiny nation which
lies in the lap of the Pyrenees, where
Spain meets France, and the two
tongues blend into Basque, might be
located. A convention of races, it is
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MR. LEO LION AND FAMILY

The next circus animals marked on the sole of Flippety-Flap's great shoes were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lion, address, Rocky-Cave-Under-the-Ledge-Near-the-Water-Hole-in-the-Forest-Africa.

Off went Nancy, Nick and the fairy-man, brave as hunters, to see if they couldn't persuade his Royal Highness to return to the circus and bring his wife along.

What, my friends, is more needed to make a real circus than Mr. Lion?

They didn't wish to be easily seen. They didn't wish to frighten Mr. Lion in the least.

Never frighten a lion, my dears! He gets very nervous.

"Wh-wha's that?" whispered Nancy all at once.

The three stopped and listened.

Funny little sounds were coming from the cave—squeer little yaps and mewes. Sort of kittenish and poppish.

Suddenly, Flippety-Flap, grinned. "Lands alive!" he exclaimed. "The

CHECK AND LETTER OF APPRECIATION

One of the very interesting features of the local Y.M.C.A. drive for \$12,000 is the following letter which was received by T. R. Williams, Community Boys' secretary, at the Y.M.C.A., yesterday, and which demonstrates very well the manner in which the association can not only mold a character but can find its place in the hearts of the people.

338 Clinton Avenue,
Newark, New Jersey,
March 30, 1921.

Dear Mr. Williams:
I see by the Lowell paper you are raising funds for the carrying on the work of the Y.M.C.A. Mr. P. and I want to send you a little help in remembrance of Fred. We know it would be his wish as he thought so much of the Y.M.C.A. and you.

Our hearts are yet very sad. Mr. Williams, over our loss naturally, but we are so grateful that Fred knew you and loved you. Kindly accept the enclosed check for the work with our best wishes for its success and with our sincere regards for yourself.

Sincerely yours,
MR. and MRS. S. A. PICKERING.
The next meeting of the team workers will be held at the Y.M.C.A. Monday noon, the 25th, at 12:15. Lunch will be served by Mrs. Frank A. Hall, vice-president of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y.M.C.A.

CONVENTION DELEGATES

At a recent meeting of Court Merrimack, H. P. of A. the following delegates were chosen to attend the grand court convention, which will be held in Worcester May 17: Ambrose Ready, Thomas F. Kelley and Edward J. McInnes. The alternate chosen were Arthur St. Hilaire, Richard J. Townsend and Arthur Bernhart. Shout tributes were paid to the memory of the late Brethren Miskella and Dudley.

Voices appear louder under a tunnel because the sounds are immediately reflected from the inside surface. On the same principle that a gas reflector increases the intensity of light, so a sound reflector increases the apparent strength of the voice under this condition.

Harris Wants Younger Man to Head Fish and Game Association

At the last meeting of the Lowell Fish and Game association Simon B. Harris announced that he would not be a candidate for president at the annual election in April. It is understood that there are at least three candidates for the office.

Mr. Harris has been an active and efficient worker for the association since its inception and a great deal of the success of the organization is due to his well directed efforts. He has served as president of the organization for six years and has been instrumental in bringing about legislation that has been helpful to sportsmen as well as to out-door life in general.

In conversation with the writer today, who is also a member of the association, Mr. Harris said: "I have served the Lowell Fish and Game association for six years and have enjoyed every minute of it. I have at all times received the heartiest co-operation of the members as a whole and I think I am pardonably proud of the success that we have made. Our association is one of the largest and most influential of its kind in this section of the country and we have done a great deal toward the preservation and conservation of fish and game. Our chief aim at this time is to have the fishway at Pawtucket falls restored and I feel that with some time, though there has been a great deal of needless delay, money has been appropriated, but nothing has yet been done except the making of a more or less superficial survey. We want real action in this matter, and we are going to have it before we get through."

"The reason I am not a candidate for re-election as president of the association is because I feel that I have done my bit as head of the organization and I want to make way for younger men. Speaking of younger men, I want to emphasize the fact that my association with them has been one of the very delightful features, to me, of my work with the organization. The younger men have been an inspiration to me and while I am about to lay down the reins as president, I will still continue to work for the interests of the association and all that it represents, and I will still have the pleasure of meeting the younger men of whom I have grown so fond."

"I do not know who the candidates will be for office at the annual election in April. At the last meeting a committee of three was appointed to bring in a list of candidates, two for each office, including that of president, vice president, secretary and treasurer, and also executive board candidates."

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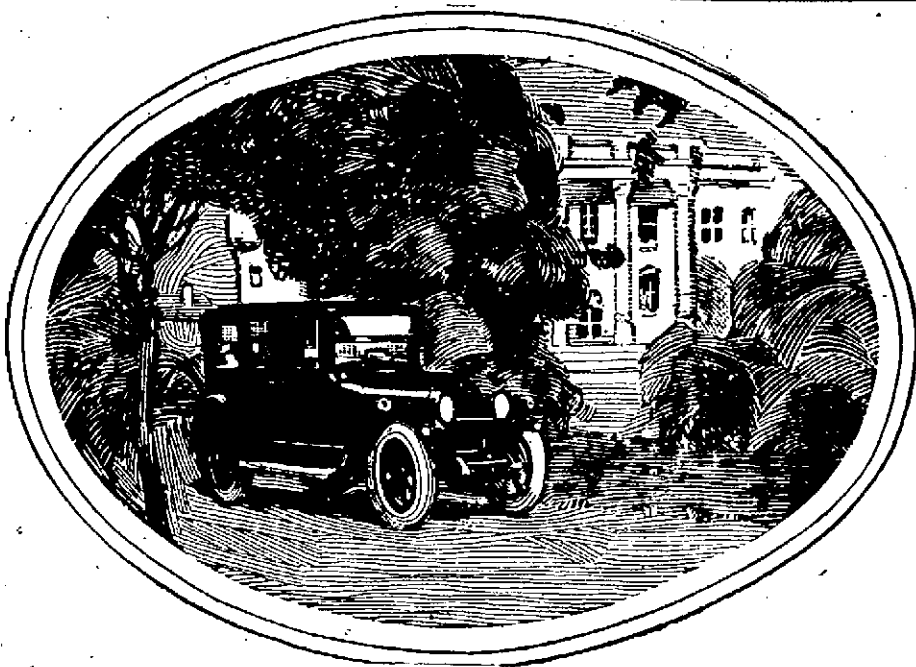
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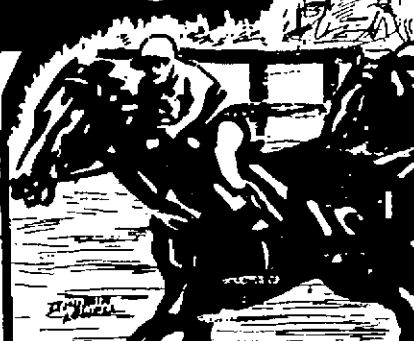
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THE HAUNTED HOUSE

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

"Up in Mabel's Room," Big New York
Stage Success, Next Week's Offering
By Lowell Players.

Thousands have chuckled and reared
over the complications and unusually
brilliant dialogue of "Up in Mabel's
Room," the big New York stage suc-
cess that is to be the special offering
of the coming week by the popular Low-
ell Players at the Opera House. "Up
in Mabel's Room" deals with the ad-
ventures of Garry, a young gentleman
who made Mabel, a certain present
when he was in France, and before he
was married. Across the gift he was
indiscreet enough to inscribe the words
"From Garry to Mabel." Then he mar-
ried and told his sweet, young wife
that his past was as clean and honor-
able as one could possibly wish. There
were no skeletons in his closet and
nothing for him to hide. As if Mabel
wanted to prove him wrong, Mabel ap-
peared on the scene. She still re-
tained the gift. So long as she kept
it, it meant that Garry's business pre-
viously hung over a keg of gunpow-
der that was likely to explode at any
moment. Therefore he started in to
find it. The balance of the play is
indiscreetly funny as a result of Ger-
ard's mad and not too intelligent efforts
the clever manner in which Mabel
who has a keen sense of humor,
tries to evade every move he
makes. There is, of course, an entire-
ly happy and satisfactory ending of all
his difficulties, but he certainly has
cause to be very sorry before the sun-
shine of hope breaks through the
clouds. The piece was originally pro-
duced during its New York run.
In success, during its New York run,
Director Bennett is planning to give
a production that will be as nearly a
duplicate of the Broadway version as
is possible.

The nerve-racked husband will be
portrayed by Milton Hyron, and his
pretty, but somewhat jealous wife, by
Miss Florence Hill. Both will easily
handle their respective parts with a
marked degree of satisfaction. Miss
Margaret Fields, whose efforts along
comedy lines have always won the en-
thusiastic praise, should certainly score
one of her biggest hits in this line in
her interpretation of the role of the
mischievous "Mabel." The other mem-
bers of the cast will be in such cap-
able hands as Maxwell Driscoll, Chas.
L. Barton, Fred Woodbury, Dorothy
Fombelle, who will appear for the
first time with the Players; Priscilla
Knowles, Kenneth Fleming and Agatha
Bruce. The staging of the piece will
add materially to the value of the play.
Don't miss it.

The advance sale of tickets for Easter
week is naturally large and at this
time indicates a capacity attend-
ance at all performances. In view of
this report it seems only right to warn
the regular patrons to make their res-
ervations as early as possible. Tel.
261. Box office open daily from 12 a.
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MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

"Forbidden Fruit" Feature at Merrimack
Square Theatre Next Week—
Easter Sunday Program

Oliver Thomas in "Out Yonder," and
Taylor Holmes in "The Very Idea," will
be the leading attractions of the Easter
Sunday program at the Merrimack
Square theatre.

To mark the re-opening of the the-
atrical season following the Lenten
period, Manager Nelson has arranged
an exceptionally strong program for
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. The
features will be the big Cecil B. De-
Mille production, "Forbidden Fruit,"
and "Straight is the Way," a Cremo-
politan production.

The story of "Forbidden Fruit" will
be continued to Page Thirteen

The social service council of Cana-
da, an undenominational body operat-
ing all through the Dominion, has as
its object the nation-wide co-operation
of provincial motion picture censors in
the matter of condemning objectionable
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FEATURE NO. 3
BUSTER KEATON IN "HAUNTED HOUSE"

SUNDAY—OLIVE THOMAS in "Out Yonder"—TAYLOR HOLMES in "The Very Idea"
THURSDAY—George Fitzmaurice's "Paying the Piper"—Thomas Meighan in "Easy Road"

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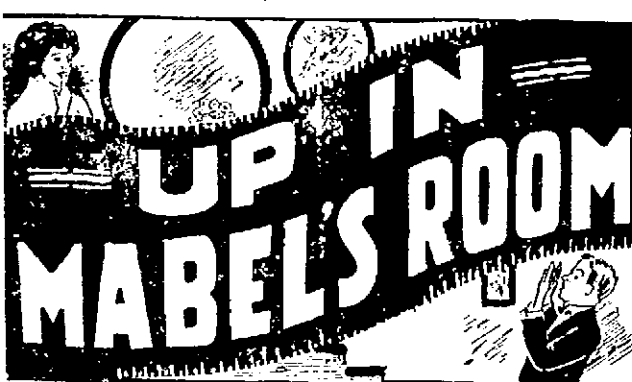
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stage hands, office force, press de-
partment workers—everyone in any
way connected with the local play-
house will share the benefits of this
innovation. The B. F. Keith circuit
has made arrangements to this end
with the Travelers' Insurance com-
pany, and the new welfare measure
will go into effect in Keith theatres
throughout the country. The Keith
treasury will carry this insurance,
which it is estimated will amount to
more than two million dollars. It is
stated that this is the first instance
of a commercial organization having
paid for insurance for its employees,
and also it is believed that this
forms the first case of a theatrical

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— In —
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Coogan & Casey, Baroness De Mollub, Ryan & Bronson,
Marcelle Fallet, Jordan & Heath, Merritt Trio, Elvira & Stone,
and Pictures.

cluded. E. F. Albee, owner of the
Keith circuit, conceived this plan for
aiding his employees. "Much will have
to be accomplished in the way of
human adjustment before business it-
self can be adjusted," Mr. Albee is
quoted as saying in connection with
his altruistic project.

Lowell received ten distributions
from the 1917 income tax, the first
year that it was effective. They
amounted to \$167,179.92. In 1919 there
were nine distributions, totalling
\$113,467.61. To date, five distribu-
tions of the 1918 tax have been re-
ceived, totalling \$153,474.40.

The state authorities estimated that
Lowell's share of the 1920 distribu-
tion would be \$153,777.62 and that
figure was used by the assessors in
making up the tax levy. But the re-
ceipts have already exceeded that
amount.

LOWELL'S SHARE OF
THE INCOME TAX

The board of assessors received
notification today that Lowell's share
of the fourth distribution of the state
income tax for 1920 will amount to
\$10,660, bringing the total received
in the four distributions thus far de-

BALMY EASTER WEEK BRINGS EARLY FASHION PARADE ON FIFTH AVENUE



Fifth Avenue's spring fashion parade came early this year. The balmy weather of Easter week was too much for the New Yorkers. Hundreds of them couldn't wait until Easter Sunday to display their new togs. Henry Van Wert, wearing formal street costume, was snatched by Miss Helen Martin. She wore a black satin trimmed in crepe and a long tassel gathered in by a loose belt. The two summery girls in the center are Miss Grace Corbett (left), attired in blue and red printed chiffon, and Miss Edna Morton, in pale green chiffon over green tulle. Miss Ethel Burns (right), gowned in a new dretroire suit of blue, affects the long cane so popular in Paris.



Miss Theresa Hill was snatched on Fifth Avenue wearing a new costume of navy blue serge, embroidered in white and silver, and a French hat trimmed with blue and black ribbon.



Soft gowns predominated in the Fifth Avenue fashion parade this spring. The camera caught Miss Marion Burke (left), attired in a charming dress of white Canton crepe and dotted blue chiffon, and Miss Georgia Asquith, in a two-tone lanna gown of Canton crepe.

NEW ATLAS OF THE WORLD

"The Peoples' Atlas" Shows Changes Wrought By the World War

The Sun has arranged for the sale of an atlas containing ten maps of large size, showing the new geographical face of the world as produced by the war. The Sun will be in a position to sell the atlas at a much reduced rate and Lowell people should take advantage of this opportunity to secure maps that are thoroughly up to date.

Besides showing in minute detail the changes wrought in all parts of the globe by the world conflict, this work provides invaluable data on the populations of every country. The labors of expert cartographers, who have gathered statistics from every nation, and have consulted the most recent changes in boundaries, went into this atlas, which is up-to-the-minute, exhaustive, and clear. Staunchly bound in an illuminated cover, it holds maps on which cities, states, and other political points are plainly indicated. Natural features are also shown, the courses of rivers and the outlines of lakes and other bodies of water being firmly and unmistakably engraved. "The Peoples' Atlas" is the title of one volume, which is also called "The World Remapped." It contains the latest census of the United States (1920);

the world, as shown on the scientific Mercator projections; North America; a railroad map of the United States and Canada; South America; Europe, with boundaries shown to conform to peace conference decisions; a historical map of the western front; Asia, Australia, Africa, and a compilation of populations, areas, and capitals of all the countries in the world. The sources of information from which the material used is taken include the most authentic in existence. Results of official investigations have been employed wherever feasible. The United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, our Lake Survey, our Geological Survey, and the Ordnance Survey of England are among the agencies from which the maps and compilations have been constructed.

Realizing that most of the geographies of today are hopelessly behind our rapidly-moving times, and that they fail to give an insight into the results of the greatest economic struggle in history, The Sun has arranged to distribute this remarkable production of the map-maker's art among the people of this city. In no other way save through the medium of this newspaper will it be possible for the citizens of Lowell to obtain here this work which places all prior atlases far in the background. The Peoples' Atlas is now on sale at The Sun office in Merrimack square, and the price is fifty-nine cents only, plus a coupon clipped from the paper. Remember to clip the coupon which you will find in The Sun, and to bring it to the office. You need this atlas. Geography today is no longer merely a study for school children; it is a live, vital subject for everyone. The columns of the press are filled with complicated problems which cannot possibly be understood without the aid of reference guides. The Peoples' Atlas provides such a guide, the latest and most thorough which can be procured at any price. Political, social, and business life calls for a knowledge of geography, and this can be obtained in compressed but easily understood form through the atlas which The Sun is offering its readers at a great reduction from the stipulated retail price.

Quarter Century Ago

Quarter of a century ago Carroll D. Wright was the leading statistician of the country. The following article from the old Sun relative to the average wage paid here for 49 years prior to 1870 will be of interest:

Last week Mr. Wright gave a lecture in New York presented an estimate of wages in the United States since 1870. The average yearly wage of factory hands is as follows, reduced to a gold basis:

Year	Average
1850	\$247.33
1860	288.94
1870	302.05
1880	346.51
1890	444.53

Mr. Wright showed that wages rise regularly as the national wealth increases under a law that has practically nothing to do with high or low production.

"According to the figures collected by the census takers, Mr. Wright showed that an ordinary New England family receiving an income of \$800 per year, expended 55 per cent. for sustenance, 15 per cent. for clothing, 17 per cent. for rent and the balance for fuel, laundry expenses, etc. These figures have been borne out by independent investigation in various parts of the country.

"Wages depend upon enterprise and enterprise is constant when not disturbed by too much legislative tinkering. Wages are rising steadily in this country and will continue to go up if only law-makers will let enterprise reasonably alone."

Never in the history of this country have wages been so high as during the recent war period.

with the resurrection were all dealt with in a masterly manner, the pictures being very striking."

The Silent Society Drama

Seldom has Lowell had a sufficient number of deaf mutes to present a drama or give an entertainment. Twenty-five years ago, however, there was a silent society here which conducted entertainments for its members as the following from the old Sun indicates:

"It was a very appreciative and in their way, quite a demonstrative gathering, that assembled in Highland hall, Saturday evening, and enjoyed the entertainment and supper given by the Lowell Silent Society. The entertainment was a one act play entitled 'Sweetheart' in which the characters were assumed by Joseph O'Neill, Sophia Sweet, Joseph Lampron, Martha French, Ellen Gay, and Mrs. E. Estabrook. The applause was given by raising the hands above the heads in the audience and shaking them in ways that were understood by the players."

Foresters of America

The following item of 25 years ago will interest local Foresters.

"The first semi-annual report of the Supreme court of Foresters of America has just been issued. In his address Supreme Chief Ranger Lawrence Smith of Lowell furnishes some interesting data. He says that the annual returns show the number of courts, Jan. 1, 1896, to be 1150, an increase of 53 for the year. The membership of the order Jan. 1, 1896, was 120,715 an increase during the year of 7510.

"The financial standing of the order is as follows: Funeral benefits paid from grand court funds, \$35,428.74; funeral benefits paid by subordinate courts, \$55,734.75; sick benefits paid by subordinate courts, \$460,722.65; paid from benevolent fund, \$14,456.43; total amount paid for funeral, sick and benevolent, \$660,420.57; paid for management, expenses, \$293,255.35; balance in court funds Jan. 1st, 1896, \$316,581.52; net increase in the funds, \$27,209.31.

HOLY SATURDAY IN CATHOLIC CHURCHES

Holy Saturday was observed by Lowell Catholics today with the customary ceremonies, including one mass this morning in each church, the lighting of the paschal candle and the blessing and distribution of holy water. Tenebrae services will be held in many of the churches this evening.

Tomorrow, Easter Sunday, will bring forth the usual elaborate programs in all the churches. The altars will be banked with flowers, the purple, significant of mourning, which has been in evidence on the altars for the past several weeks, will be removed and special musical programs will be carried out, all symbolic of the spirit of the resurrection.

In the evening vesper services will be held and again special musical programs will be given.

It was announced in some of the churches last Sunday that in the event of there being no change in the old daylight saving law before tomorrow, the old law would be effective then and that all the masses would be according to daylight-saving time. However, the modified daylight saving law, which stipulates that daylight saving shall not begin until the last Sunday in April, was signed by Governor Cox this week and, consequently, the old time will be effective tomorrow.

Tenebrae services held in the various churches last evening were very largely attended and forced sermons on "The Passion" were delivered. In addition to the sermon, the service included the chanting of matins and lauds by the priests and sanctuary choirs and veneration of the relic of the true cross by the congregation.

AGENT MITCHELL SICK
Agent William Mitchell of the Massachusetts mills is sick. He has a slight attack of the grip and is staying indoors at his home for a day or two. It is stated that the illness is not in any way regarded as serious.

No vessel of any nationality may enter a United States port or come within the three-mile limit bearing intoxicating liquor in transit without being liable to seizure under the Volstead act, according to the department of justice.

A workman in a Utah mining camp threw a bucket of water upon short-circuiting electric wire. The electricity "played back" over the stream to the bucket in the man's hands, causing his instantaneous death.

BOSTON READY TO GREET MAYOR O'CALLAGHAN

BOSTON, March 26.—Plans for welcoming Lord Mayor O'Callaghan of Cork, Ire., when he comes to Boston tomorrow, will be completed tonight at meetings of the various councils of the American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic, the members of which are in charge of the parade and mass meetings tomorrow afternoon on the common and at Mechanics building in honor of his visit here. Lord Mayor O'Callaghan will spend today in Springfield.

Under the auspices of Paul Revere council, A.A.R.I.R., a meeting will be held at Deacon hall, 1651 Washington street, South End, tonight, to which all ex-service men who participated in the MacSwiney parade and all others who wish to march in honor of Mayor O'Callaghan are invited.

The council is composed exclusively of ex-service men and marching as the De Valera Guards will tomorrow have the right of line. Immediately behind them will walk the gold star parents of boys who died in the world war.

There will be a meeting at the state headquarters of the A.A.R.I.R. at the American house this evening of the general women's committee in charge of the arrangements on the common and at Mechanics building.

Lowell People to Attend
Although no organized effort has been made to have a large crowd from

Lowell in the parade, it is understood that quite a number of members of the A.A.R.I.R. will go down in time for the parade preceding the meetings at which Lord Mayor O'Callaghan will speak.

LOCAL MILL OUTLOOK

Mill Men Do Not See Any Immediate Improvement in Sight

"Don't paint the future in too rosy colors," said one of the leading mill agents of Lowell to a representative of The Sun today in discussing the outlook for the immediate future in the textile industry of the city.

A feeling of pessimism undoubtedly prevails among those who are most intimately associated with the management of the mills, although it may not be justified. One bright spot in the situation is that the Massachusetts mills will continue on full time indefinitely.

The success of the Massachusetts in keeping in operation on full schedule is said to be that there is a special demand for the goods manufactured by the mills. People who formerly bought high-priced goods are said to be economizing by purchasing glenghams and chambrays. The mills have also considerably reduced their prices, and an

unusually attractive line of goods is being turned out.

Most of the other mill managements are in a position where they are hopeful that something will turn up to improve the situation, but they admit that there is little in sight at the present moment.

Some of the mills may possibly close for short periods during the summer. It is said that about the last thing the managements desire to do, if it can possibly be avoided, is to close up any of the mills in all departments. One reason for this is, that when a mill is closed the working personnel is quickly disintegrated and it is usually found difficult to reassemble it again. Another reason is that an idle mill is an expensive proposition for the owners to carry. Machinery not in operation deteriorates and requires more care.

The only answer to the question why the mills are forced to curtail is that no orders are coming in or in sight. Some of the mills are running to fill up their storehouses while others keep in operation from day to day manufacturing partly for storage and to fill an occasional special demand for goods. The Hamilton mills will run on its present schedule of three days a week, with about 50 per cent. of its help employed for another week. After that, the course will depend upon circumstances. In some quarters there is confidence of a marked improvement after congress convenes on April 11.

An attachment to an electric meter will allow the user to purchase a quarter's worth of electric current at a time.

Victor Records for Easter

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88403—12 in.—\$1.75	Bosanna—In French	Marcel Journet
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45059—10 in.—\$1.00	Oh, for the Wings of a Dove	Marshall
35674—12 in.—\$1.35	The Palms	Reinold Werrenrath
35674—12 in.—\$1.35	The Lost Chord	Reinold Werrenrath
35484—12 in.—\$1.35	Festival Te Deum—Part 1	Trinity Choir
35484—12 in.—\$1.35	Festival Te Deum—Part 2	Trinity Choir
35484—12 in.—\$1.35	Hallelujah Chorus (From "Messiah")	Pryor's Band
35075—12 in.—\$1.35	The Heavens Are Telling	Conway's Band
16408—10 in.—.85	Angels Ever Bright and Fair	Marshall
16408—10 in.—.85	Unfold Ye Portals	Trinity Choir
16408—10 in.—.85	The Palms	William Robyn
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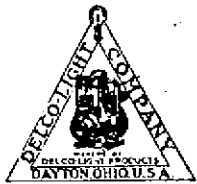
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The accessory department has a most complete line of accessories in Lowell and the owners defy you to be able to think of a genuine Ford part they do not carry. Mr. Stevens, a real "live wire" is in charge of the battery department and what he does not know about the business is not worth knowing. He handles the Columbia battery exclusively, which, prices considered, is the best on the market. The specialty of this department is recharging and repairing batteries. The firm of Bibeaault & Stevens was founded four years ago and their business was built on service with the idea that the customer is always right and that accounts for the great success achieved.

HYDRAULIC AIR MOTOR

Figures compiled by the New England fuel administration show that in round figures the consumption of bituminous coal in Massachusetts amounted in 1917 to ten million six hundred and twenty thousand tons. Supposing this coal cost at an average of \$3 a ton, a most conservative figure, the amount consumed annually in Massachusetts according to the fuel administration would be 6,000,000 tons. This is burned chiefly in the homes, and much of it paid for by the poor, at great personal sacrifice; it represents an expenditure in the neighborhood of \$30,000,000 of the people's money, money, the greater part of which the tide motor, once in operation, would save them. If we combine the money spent in Massachusetts for bituminous coal and anthracite coal we would reach the startling figure of \$174,000,000. Therefore, on the outside estimate on the cost of construction the Knowlton Hydraulic Air Motor should save the people of Massachusetts around \$15,000,000 the first year, figuring coal on anything like its present cost basis.

FREDERICK T. BOYLE

Fredrick T. Boyle, proprietor of the hardware, wall paper and paint store at 316 Bridge street, formerly owned by the late Mr. Ryan, has the sole agency for Lowell and vicinity of the famous Bay State paints. This store was conducted successfully for over 15 years by the late Mr. Ryan and after his death it was taken over by Mr. Boyle, and since that time the business has progressed in leaps and bounds.

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Continue Search for Missing Balloonists

PENSACOLA, Fla., March 26.—Though discouraged by the failure of their two days' search to reveal any trace of the missing craft naval officers today had not given up hope of finding the naval balloon with its five occupants which left the air station here late Tuesday. Airplanes, dirigibles, eagle boats and sub chasers continued to scour the air and coast in the vicinity of the place the balloon was last reported.

Flyer in Hospital Battles for Life

NATCHEZ, Miss., March 26.—With his back broken and his body paralyzed from the chest down, Lieut. W. D. Coney, transcontinental flyer, whose airplane crashed near Crowley, La., yesterday, while he was attempting a flight from Jacksonville, Fla., to San Diego, Cal., today was battling for his life in a Natchez hospital. Physicians said he had about one chance in 10 of recovery but the flyer himself remained cheerful and expressed the hope he would yet be able to make the flight.

Irvin S. Cobb Renominated

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 26.—Irvin S. Cobb, who was a colonel on the staff of Governor Stanley has been renominated for a commission at his former rank by Governor Morrow.

Rear Admiral Kindleberger Dead

NEW YORK, March 26.—Rear Admiral David Kindleberger, medical director, United States navy retired, died at his home here yesterday. He was 86 years old.

Send Japanese Warships to Kamcharka

TOKIO, March 25.—(By Associated Press)—Japan is understood to have decided to dispatch a battleship and four destroyers to Kamcharka for the purpose of protecting Japanese fishing enterprises there. It is said this action was taken following reports that the Far Eastern republic had ceded part of the peninsula of Kamcharka to the soviet government of Moscow.

Viscount Uchida, Japanese foreign minister, declared in the house of peers at Tokio on Tuesday that Japan would be obliged to adopt whatever action might be necessary to preserve her rights in Kamcharka. He said the Japanese government had protested against the cession of a part of Kamcharka to the soviet government and had made five demands relative to territory there, but the Far Eastern republic, the seat of whose government is at Chita, had not answered.

Successes for Greeks Announced

ATHENS, March 26.—Successes against the Turkish nationalists in Asia Minor continue on the Ushhak and Brusa fronts, says an official statement issued here. The Greeks, it is declared, are not encountering much resistance in their advance toward Eski-Shehr. "On Thursday," says the statement, "the Greeks continued to advance in the Ushhak sector. The enemy, who feebly resisted, was driven back from a fortified ridge between Agar and Bonnar to a line about 30 miles east of Ushhak. Two hundred of the enemy were taken prisoners. In the Brusa sector, the enemy was driven from positions east of the city and the Greeks occupied a line running through the villages of Giennouch, Vereisi and Dilejuk, about six miles from the town. The Greek losses have been insignificant."

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"The equipment bill was \$230,000,000 more in 1920 than in 1919.

"The transportation item—the cost of transportation operations—was \$780,000,000 more in 1920 than in 1919. Approximately \$100,000,000 of this was due to the wage increase, effective from last May.

Federal Orders

"There is difference of opinion as to what accounts for the rest of it. My own judgment is that it is the fruition of the standardization orders promulgated during federal control, and the system of extra pay for overtime. I believe that a man who works

BY AHERN

THE CRAZY QUILT



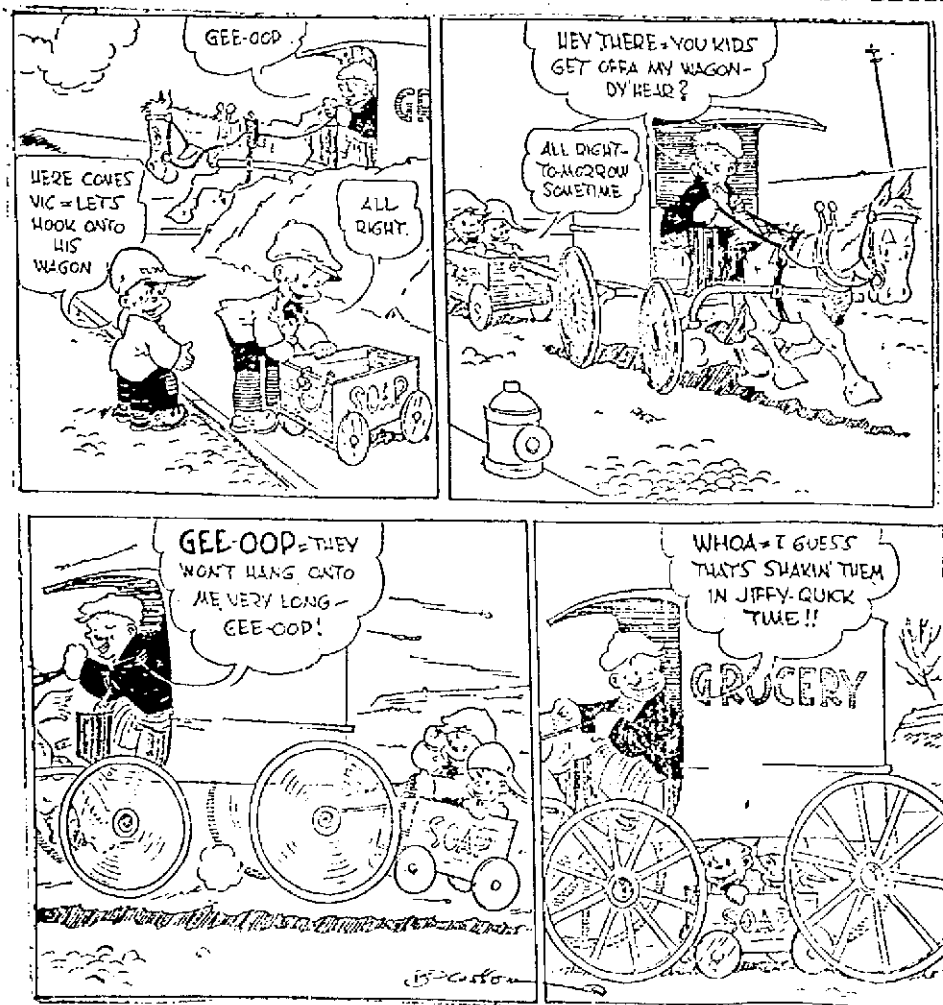
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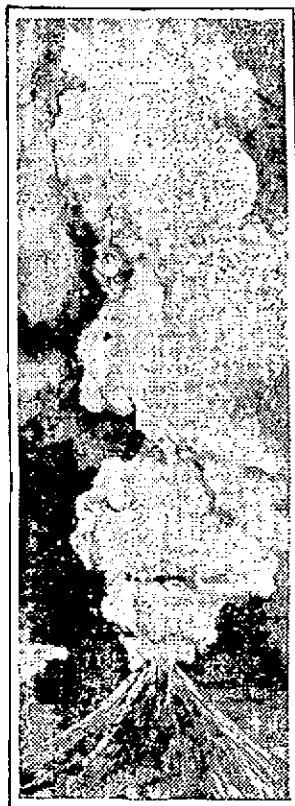
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"In 1906, I began to be troubled with Eczema. It started on my face and gradually spread. The second summer, I was so badly afflicted I had to lay off work. I would keep my hands tied up at night to prevent digging into my flesh while asleep. I spent hundreds of dollars in seeking relief. I would go for several months without trouble and then the Eczema would break out again and I would be in for a siege of suffering. My hands, especially across the knuckles, would be so puffed and swollen I could not do any obstetrical work or operations.

It was about three months ago I chanced to read an ad. of 'Fruit-a-tives' about a person being cured of Weeping Eczema by using this remedy and 'Sootha-Salva'. I bought both and in about a week, noticed an improvement. I have now used two boxes of 'Fruit-a-tives' and one of 'Sootha-Salva' and am entirely free of Eczema. My flesh is clear and smooth and I am that gratified with the result that I cannot proclaim too loudly the merits of these remedies".

E. N. OLZENDAM, D. V. M.

Both remedies are sold at 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50. At all dealers or sent postpaid by FRUIT-A-TIVES Limited, GREENSBURG, N. Y.



VESUVIUS ERUPTING

This remarkable photograph of Mount Vesuvius was taken by an American photographer from the top of a nearby mountain. For weeks the rumbling giant has been belching forth smoke, flames and lava.

hard for eight hours has done a pretty good day's work and that for anything over eight hours he should get extra pay.

"But it is absurd to apply this to every man whose time happens to run over eight hours.

"There are thousands of station agents in little towns who don't actually work more than three hours a day. Two or three or four trains pass through the town and the agent is on hand for a little while before and after each train. It is absurd to give him overtime just because his last train at night passes through more than eight hours after the first one.

"But labor is only one of the costs

Rosy Cheek

for Girl and Boy

Keep the children in good health. It is the greatest blessing that can come to them. Most of their ailments start with irregularities of the stomach and bowels. Overeating or eating improper food also failure to establish the vitally important habit of a daily movement of the bowels, are causes of much serious illness during the growing years. Frequently worms in the stomach or intestines are indicated by a feverish condition, restless nights, nervousness, biting the nails, chattering, pains, and nausea. The safe, sure remedy is "L. F." Atwood's Medicine, used by Maine mothers for more than a half century. Buy it now and have it ready for family illnesses. 5¢ cents at your dealers. Satisfaction assured. "L. F." Medicine Co., Portland, Maine.

MOTHERS OF BOYS

Do you buy clothes of a PRICE or do you buy clothes of QUALITY?

Never in the history of the clothing industry has there been such a flood of poor quality clothes thrown on the market as at the present time. We are very careful to select only the best fabrics. Macartney's guarantee back of every suit.

Good, serviceable suits, attractive patterns. Suits that have sold at \$15.00.

\$10.50

Tan Tweeds, strong and sturdy, good looking suits. Those who know value will appreciate the quality.

\$12.50

These Suits are a Special at Macartney's. Certainly they are marked extraordinarily low for Two Pairs of Pants.

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London Budwig Suits

Suits that are built for a reputation. Stitched canvas to keep the collars in shape; straps, so the pockets will not sag; lining that will wear well.

EVERY SUIT GUARANTEED

\$15, \$17.50, \$20, \$25

Boys' Hats, Caps, Gloves, Blouses
Shirts, Collars and Ties

ARTHUR (the Barber) Will Clip Their Hair

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GOODS
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WATCH OUR CHILDREN'S WINDOW

Macartney's

BOYS' DEPARTMENT

Notice the
Quality
for the
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Tom Sawyer

Wash Suits

Made in good heavy weight materials, in attractive colors, tan, blue and white, as well as all combinations. The styles are Russian, Oliver Twist and Middy.

COLORS GUARANTEED

\$3.25, \$3.50, \$3.85

Many other Suits in ginghams, woven madras, peggy cloths, for play and dress up. Good colors and make.

\$1.25, \$1.69, \$1.98, \$3.00

Boys' Reefers

2½ Years to 10 Years

Every boy needs a reefer coat in spring time. We have some very nice ones, well made, good linings, all wool. Price—

\$8.50

BLUE SERGES
\$8.50, \$10.50 to \$12.50

NEW KNIT FABRIC REEFERS

New shades of brown—

\$10

that must come down. I think the railroads can save this year at least \$75,000,000 in coal alone. Most of the roads paid highly extravagant prices for coal last year. They bought on contracts that were extremely excessive. The business judgment of railroad managers in buying coal was exceedingly poor.

Need For Consolidation

"One of the most essential things necessary for efficient railroad management is the consolidation of the roads into 14 or 15 big systems.

"The provision for this in the transportation act of 1920 is not mandatory, but merely permissive. I made every effort to have it obligatory, but nobody else seemed to want it.

"The farmers didn't like it because it eliminated competition, but they are seeing things differently now, for they have a very effective plan under way for co-operative marketing that will eliminate competition in the sale of their products.

"The railroad workers don't want consolidation because they are after government ownership.

"The railroad owners don't want consolidation because they are after government ownership.

"The railroad owners don't want it either, because it would abolish a lot of positions held by incompetent men.

"But I am going to keep on fighting for it. It must come, if we are to have efficient, economical operation."

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Easter Neckwear

Lots of Smart Dollar Ties, at

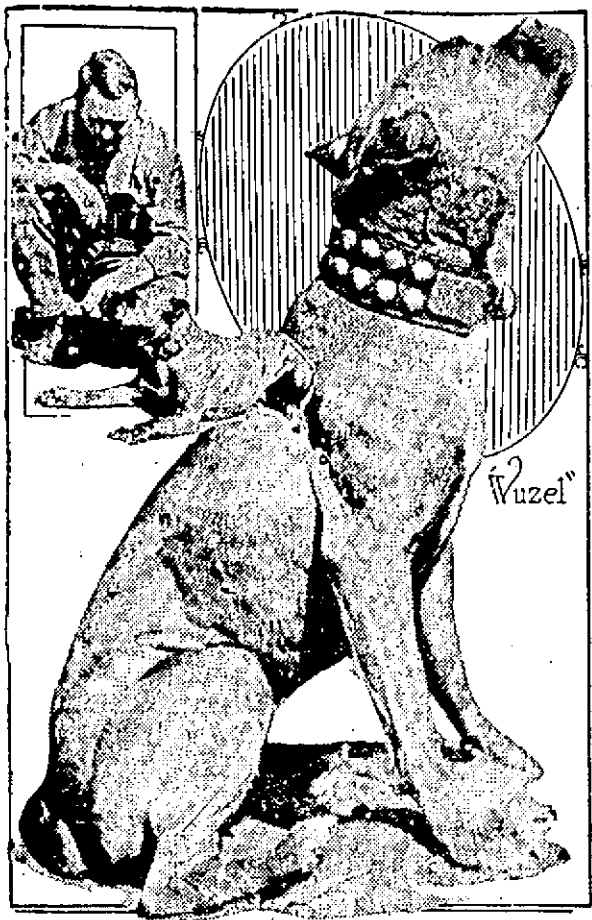
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222 Merrimack Street



"Wiseest Dog" Sent to College To Test Animal's Brain Power



READY FOR HER LESSON

Wuzel, two year old wolf dog attending the animal psychology class at the University of California, is here shown in characteristic attitude, waiting for instructions. Inset picture Wuzel with her master, Louis Penn. Scientists seeking proof that dogs can reason, place Wuzel's performances on the highest plane of animal intelligence.

BERKELEY, Cal., March 26.—Wuzel, a brindle wolf of the streets, rescued from the pound, has become the first four-footed collegian.

She is attending the University of California to demonstrate whether or not a dog can reason.

No matter what she may prove for her kind, Wuzel herself has probably climbed closer to the plane of human intelligence than any other animal ever placed under observation.

At the age of two she has graduated from the accomplishments of the trick dog into the high-brow realm of "delayed reaction" and other complex brain power tests.

Brain Tests

Two days a week in the laboratory here where human and animal behavior is compared, this "wiseest dog in America" performs for Louis Penn, her owner and advanced student, and for Dr. E. C. Tolman, eminent animal psychologist who is directing the experiments.

Wuzel's examination papers record a

TOO ILL TO WORK
A Mother Tells How Her Daughter Was Made Well Again by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Philadelphia, Pa.—"At the age of sixteen my daughter was having trouble every month. She had had pains across her back and in her sides, her back would pain her so that she could not do her work and would have to lie down. My married daughter recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. She took it faithfully and is now regular and has no pain. We recommend the Vegetable Compound and give you permission to publish this letter." Mrs. KATIE ECHER, 4034 N. Fairhill St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Standing all day, or sitting in cramped positions and often with wet feet, young girls contract deranged conditions, and before they are hardly aware of it they develop headaches, backache, irregularities, nervousness and bearing-down pains, all of which are symptoms of woman's ills. If every mother who has a daughter suffering from such symptoms would profit by the experience of Mrs. Echer and give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial she may expect the same happy result.

O'BRIEN'S

Easter Special

\$1.00 Neckwear
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Gained Six Pounds In Fourteen Days

When you are ill and losing weight, falling in strength and growing pale and sallow day by day it is an indication that you need more blood.

Whatever the cause there can be no relief until the blood is built up so that it will carry renewed life and strength to every part of the body.

A remedy that arrests the decline in health and strength, that begins to restore the weakened muscles and strengthen the nerves demonstrates at once to the patient himself that the anemia is being overcome and that rich, red blood is now helping him to fight off rheumatism, sciatica, lumbago and a number of other diseases to which the victims of thin blood is liable.

E. S. Southwick, an employee of the public library at Woonsocket, R. I., had an experience that will help many others. "I was ill for several years," he says, "not confined to bed, but so that I could hobble around. My blood was thin, I was troubled with rheumatism and suffered a great deal with lame back. One day I read in the newspaper about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and got a box from my druggist. I had taken them but a short time when I saw that they were helping me. I gained six pounds in two weeks, my appetite became good once more and I cannot say too much in favor of this blood-building remedy."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are a specific for thin blood and any illness caused by lack of blood will be benefited by a course of treatment with these tonic pills.

Nothing more is needed except sun light, good air, proper food and rest. If you do not know exactly what rules to follow in these matters write today to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for booklets on the blood and diet. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.—Adv.

CAN YOUR DOG REASON?

How does your pet compare with the "Wiseest Dog in America?" Can he think, hold images, associate ideas?

Most folks believe they know of an instance where an animal has shown reasoning power.

This evidence may or may not be conclusive so far as science is concerned.

Get a book on psychology; find out what mental processes are involved in thinking. Then if you still believe he can reason, write the story of what your dog did and send it to The Sun for publication. Every owner of animals will be interested.

are more complex than they have heretofore been credited by science.

"I am not yet ready to say positively that dogs do hold images or think, but I do say that a dog acts just like a human being when he has images, memory or thoughts."

Found in Pound

Wuzel, a handsome cross of the bulldog strain, was selected haphazard from the city pound, and cost \$7.50. Today Penn values her at \$5000.

Her common schooling consisted of "speaking," rolling over, retrieving objects named, closing doors with her paws, performing errands within a radius of several blocks, playing dead at the sound of "taps" and recovering at "mess call," standing guard over Mrs. Penn's baby until relieved, circling and serpentine about objects specified, and refusing to take food until instructed—all as preparation for the high-brow course at the university.

In addition to her school work and home duties, Wuzel is bringing up her first litter of pups, and still finds plenty of time to gossip with other less

The Big Rug Sale Continues

Hundreds of Rugs in This Sale. Every Rug Perfect, Brand New Colors and Designs.
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Rugs, Heavy Quality, \$42.50 Value

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27x54-in. Axminster
Rugs. Former price

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Wool and Fibre.

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Rugs. Good Quality.

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Sale Price
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Beautiful Tapestry,
10 Wire.

Former Price \$45.00.
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RUGS

9x12 Heavy Grade
Axminster Rugs.

Former Price \$65.00.

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WILTON VELVET RUGS

9x12 Heavy Grade
Former Price \$65.00.

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Axminster Rugs.

Former Price \$79.50.

Sale Price
\$45.00

RUGS

9x12 Beautiful Extra
Heavy Bigelow Rugs.
Former Price \$85.00.

Sale Price
\$49.98



THE STORE OF ABSOLUTE SATISFACTION

Sealing Fleet Caught in Ice Floes

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., March 26.—The sealing fleet operating on the Newfoundland east coast is reported to be caught in great ice floes and attempting to blast its way into open water. Three days after setting sail, the vessels ran into ice floes. Escaping these by blasting they cruised for two days but were caught again. It is believed that most of the vessels will return with empty bins.

Communist Parade Broken Up

PARIS, March 26.—The communist agitation in Munich is continuing according to despatches to the foreign office, which report the breaking up by the police of a procession displaying red flags. Another message says that rioters broke into the railroad station at Breslau and carried off the cash box.

Captain Robert A. Bartlett is seeking to finance an expedition to cross the North Pole in an airplane.

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Gloves are a most essential part of a woman's wardrobe. A well dressed woman thinks as much of her gloves as she does of her shoes, her stockings or suit.

As a new departure in connection with our cleaning service, we have set apart in a section of our establishment a most up-to-date glove department.

Here you'll find gloves from one to sixteen-button lengths, in a well selected assortment of shades and styles.

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Boys' Spring Coats, 3 to 10 years.....\$4.50 to \$10.00
Little Boys' Woolen Suits, Russian novelties, Oliver Twists and Sailors\$4.25 to \$9.00
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Little Boys' Hats for Easter.....75c to \$1.50
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BOYS' SHIRTS
\$1.00 to \$1.75

BOYS' CLOTHING DEPT.—DOWNSTAIRS



The Store of Absolute Satisfaction

Gov. Cox Acts to End Building Strike

BOSTON, March 26.—Governor Cox let it be known today that early next week he would probably name a committee to investigate the building trades' labor troubles in this city and report on what steps should be taken in the public interest. The governor intimated that he had reached the conclusion that there was "something wrong" in the building industry which has been tied up several months by inability of the employers' association and the unions to agree on wage price lists.

DEATHS

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FUNERALS

PRESCOTT.—The funeral of Marion Prescott took place from the funeral church, 226 Westford street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. A. J. Laverne, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church. Appropriate selections were sung by Mrs. A. J. Laverne and Miss Elin L. Lement, with Mrs. A. J. Laverne at the organ. The attendance was large, and the flowers were numerous. Large delegations were present from both the Calvary Baptist Sunday school and the high school of this city. The funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock, and the burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDougall Sons.

RENNY.—The funeral services of John E. Renny were held yesterday afternoon at the home of his parents, 187 Cumberland road. Rev. Henry Quinby, pastor of St. John's Episcopal church, officiated. Burial took place in the family lot in Westview cemetery. The funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock, and the burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDougall Sons.

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SUN BREVITIES

Best printing. Tobin's, Associate bldg., Lyden for best catering. Tel. 434.

J. F. Donohoe, 229-233 Hildreth bldg., real estate and insurance. Telephone.

Joseph Coleman, of 551 Bridge street, who was operated upon at St. John's hospital a couple of weeks, returned to his home yesterday.

Mr. John J. Hartley, son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hartley of 40 South Whipple street, this city, was recently elected adjutant of the Harold E. Storr Post 596 of Veterans of Foreign Wars, of Plainfield, New Jersey.

At a meeting of the women's division of the republican state committee held at Hotel Bellevue, Boston, at which committees were named for active work, Mrs. Boyden Pillsbury of this city was appointed to the committee on education.

A meeting of the O'Connell district board of the American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic will be held in A.O.H. hall tomorrow, Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Pres. John Barrett will preside and the principal business will be the election of officers.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rodney Wallace of Fitchburg have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth, to Dr. Joe Vincent Meigs, son of the late Dr. J. V. Meigs of this city. The marriage will take place Saturday, April 2, at the First Parish Unitarian church, Fitchburg.

The Middlesex Women's club will present Parquetta Tallant, pianist, as the entertainer at the regular meeting of the club, Monday afternoon. Her husband, Mr. Vincent Tallant, has been heard in Lowell frequently and has always received a most cordial reception. His program will be a varied one.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Mrs. Mary Ruth Burt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman M. Burt, to Mr. Bruce Griffin Brooks, the ceremony to take place Saturday, April 2, at St. Paul's church, at 7 p. m. Later a reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents, 422 Andover street.

Manager Benjamin W. Hubert of R. F. Kelley's theater in this city has returned from the fifth annual banquet of the National Association of Managers of Theaters, which was held at the Plaza Hotel, New York, yesterday, March 25. More than 400 managers were present, representing the Keith, Loew, Orpheum, Panopticon and affiliated circuits. Ben Moss, president of the association, was the presiding officer and the speakers included F. P. Allen, general manager of the Keith theatres; Mr. Panthea, head of the Panopticon circuit; Senator Walters of New York, and Patrick Casey, secretary of the association.

Motion pictures depicting traveling circuses and carnivals will be shown in the Dominion of New Zealand, and only by order of the government.

LOTS OF HAM AND EGGS FOR EASTER

Ham and eggs are within reach of everybody for the Easter Sunday table this year, as fresh eggs are selling as low as 30 cents a dozen, while the price of ham has dropped as low as 25 cents a pound. This is quite a drop if last year's prices are to be taken as a criterion.

Western fresh eggs are selling today at prices ranging from 30 to 35 cents a dozen, while the strictly fresh, or in other words eggs from local henneries, are worth from 50 to 55 cents a dozen. Last year, as far as can be remembered, western fresh were retailing for 55, while strictly fresh were about 70 cents a dozen. Prior to the war eggs were being sold in Lowell during Easter week for about 25 cents a dozen, while the price for the strictly fresh was about 35 cents.

A big drop is also noticeable in the prices of ham, which is selling today at from 25 to 29 cents a pound when a whole ham is taken, while the middle cut is worth about 39 or 35 cents. Last year, the price of whole ham was 35 cents a pound, while the city was selling for about 40 cents. The pig war price of ham, it is said, was about 25 cents a pound.

EXTRA CARS FOR EASTER SUNDAY

Evidently the officials of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Co. feel that more people go to church Easter Sunday than on any other Sunday, for arrangements have been made to operate extra cars on some of the local lines during the morning hours tomorrow. The lines upon which extra cars will be operated are the Hingham, Westford, Middlesex, Gorham and Lakeview avenue, as well as Tewksbury.

PETITION FAVORS PACKING PLANT

Another petition in favor of the granting of a license for the establishment of a packing plant on the site of the former Harvard Brewery, plant in Dayton street was received by Mayor Perry D. Thompson this morning. It was signed by William E. Harrington, recording secretary of the local division, No. 250, Amalgamated association of Street and Electrical Railway Employees of America, and represented the sentiments of the local union as expressed at a recent meeting. The petition will be presented to the municipal council next Tuesday.

DOCTORS PROTEST PARKING RULES

Five doctors having offices in or near that portion of Central street between Warren and Gorham streets have protested to Mayor Perry D. Thompson against the proposed establishment of a 30-minute stopping rule in that section of Central street, as recommended by the motor vehicle committee of the chamber of commerce.

The doctors contend that Central street is sufficiently wide in the vicinity of Town's corner to allow extended parking privileges there. They say that at times their office hours stretch to three hours and in view of that fact the inconvenience of a 30-minute stopping rule is very obvious.

The protest, which will come before the municipal council on Tuesday, is signed by Dr. Martin, Dr. Javett, Dr. Harold C. Lebold, Dr. Ralph C. Stewart, Dr. Thomas Forsley, and Dr. William I. Wiggin.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. David E. Rooney of Chelmsford and Mrs. Margaret A. Nickerson of this city were married last evening at the parsonage of the Gorham St. P. M. church, 15 Elmworth street, the officiating clergyman being Rev. N. W. Matthews. The couple were attended by Mr. Harold A. Blakely and Miss Martha E. Potter. They will make their home in East Chelmsford.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to express our profound gratitude for the outpouring of sympathy and condolence on the occasion of the death of our beloved son and brother, James P. Miskella, and to thank most sincerely all those who showed such respect for his memory and brought us such solace in the hour of our sad bereavement.

MRS. ELLEN ANN, ELIZABETH and CATHERINE MISKELLA.

Criticize the City Library

Library, Mr. Wells stated, it was said that the Boston public library is believed to be one of the few similar institutions in the state that has a laundry department. With this is a printing department, at which the work of the library is done, and some income is received from the sale of antique cards to other libraries. It is stated that the library in Boston is far from being certain that the laundry is not an unnecessary expense and has been considering having the work done by private establishments.

The Lowell "Library" was operated, according to figures on file in the state house, at an expense for labor of \$1251 in 1920. The employees are a superintendent at a salary of \$24, assistant \$21, and two other assistants at \$15 per week.

Does No Binding

Librarian Frederick A. Chase said today that the so-called "library" department at the city library does not do any binding work. When books are to be rebound or mended or new papers placed in permanent bindings, the work is sent outside. The cost of this work last year was \$174.12, he said.

Mr. Chase said that the books that have been sent out for binding are mostly old books, and that the new books are bound in the library. He said that the books that are sent out for binding are mostly old books, and that the new books are bound in the library.

The desirability of having the library conducted on the open shelf system was given approval by the strongest of the city's librarians, Mr. Wells, who said that the system is already in use in the library. He said that the system is already in use in the library.

Might Destroy Books

Mr. Chase has stated that he believes that if the open-shelf system were adopted, the books in the library would be "lost to pieces."

It is also stated that the books in the library are being "lost to pieces."

Statement from Librarian

In reference to an article recently printed in The Sun giving library statistics furnished by the chamber of commerce, Librarian Chase today gave the following statement:

"In a recent issue of your paper you gave library statistics of Massachusetts cities of about the same population as Lowell which showed that the per capita circulation of books in Lowell was the lowest of any of the cities."

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Geography is no longer merely a study for school children. It is a live, vital subject for everybody. It is knowledge, full of timely interest and throwing a flood of light upon affairs of the day. It makes clear the complicated international problems with which our newspapers are filled—it enables you to be well informed on current issues that people everywhere are discussing. We are no longer talking about petty local matters—we are interested in

World Affairs

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Over 32 square feet of maps beautifully printed in full colors on heavy paper. The size of the work is 14x21 inches. Several of the maps occupy double pages and all are on large scale with large lettering and distinct yet pleasing colors.

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The 1920 census of the United States—This new compilation gives the new population figures of all of the principal cities of the United States, all states and territories.

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Double page map showing all of the new states with their correct boundaries and capitals, wireless stations, sizes of principal cities, mandatories, even steamship routes with distances between ports. Remember this is a new map of the New World.

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Shows all of the provinces and States of Canada, the United States, Mexico and Central America each in separate color. The results of Stefansson's recent explorations in Arctic Ocean are shown.

Railroad Map of United States & Canada—Western Part. Double page map showing and naming the railroads. This and its companion double page map of Western Part on following pages, form one of the most useful and satisfying maps published. Every feature is clearly shown, the cities and towns of importance emphasized by size of type, our great railroad system shown in detail—all of the 250,000 miles now in operation.

Railroad Map of United States & Canada—Eastern Part. Double page map companion to and corresponding with the Western Part described above. These four pages are alone worth many times the cost of the entire collection.

South America
Shows each country in separate color with boundaries in accordance with recent treaties. The results and the routes of recent exploration are shown, including the Rio Roosevelt.

Europe
Double page map showing all of the new states with boundaries in accordance with Peace Conference decisions. This is a detailed railroad map with everything clearly shown, even the boundaries of those miniature republics of Andorra and San Marino. Here again is a map well worth the cost of the product.

Historical Map of the Western Front
Showing the lines of battle in the great European War. Double page map showing the advances of the Germans, with dates, the several lines of conflict and a summary of all phases of the war. Railroads, canals, forts, fortified towns and naval arsenals are shown.

Asia
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Monday next is the opening day of the new "Gift Shop" of the Robertson Company in Prescott street. In this "Shop" which by the way is on the second floor, may be found one of the best and most complete assortments of gift-needs to be found anywhere. The "Shop" is ideally located, and the outside effect is that of a pretty little cottage. To each side of the entrance are windows, tastefully dressed, with beautiful flower boxes in front. The entrance itself, has lattice work on either side, with vines and flowers running from top to bottom. On entering the "cottage" one is taken by surprise at the beautiful surroundings.

DOG LICENSES
City Clerk Stephen Flynn calls the attention of owners of dogs that licenses for the animals for the coming year are payable April 1 and that he is now prepared to issue the certificates as required by law. Every dog three months old or older is subject to a license. The fee for male dogs is \$2 and for female \$1. The penalty for keeping an unlicensed dog is \$15.

CHICKENS AND EGGS BY PARCEL POST
No, Uncle Sam is not going into the chicken raising, maple syrup or egg business. The numerous crates filled with little chicks, the scores of maple syrup cans and bottles and the hundreds of cartons containing eggs, which arrived at the local postoffice by parcel post during the past few days, were not consigned to Postmaster Meelan, but only mailed in his care to be delivered to local people.

The postoffice has been one of the busiest spots in the city during the present week, so busy, in fact, that it was necessary to employ extra clerks. This was due to the fact that Vermont and New Hampshire farmers have done a tremendous business here via the mail route.

TELEPHONE ALARM
A slight blaze near the boiler in the cellar of the house numbered 127 Durant street was responsible for a telephone alarm at 3:30 o'clock this morning.

Not Just Comparison
You will see, therefore, that you are comparing the work of our library with libraries that have three and four times as much money to spend as we have.

There is another comparison which should be made. Cambridge has five branches, New Bedford has 4, Springfield 3, Lowell and Fall River none.

"We should have no less than three branches in this city. They would greatly increase our circulation and deduct very little from the use of the main library. The library has not been allowed to increase its activity with the growth of the city. The increase of appropriations in recent years has barely covered the increase in our expenses—chiefly salaries. A liberal policy toward the library must be adopted if we are to compete with the larger cities of the state."

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Fourteen-Year-Old Boy Said to Have Confessed That He Helped His Mother Murder Stepfather

BEATEN WITH AXE AND SHOVEL

Boy Tells How He and
Mother Clubbed Victim to
Death After Quarrel

He and Nine-Year-Old Brother
Then Carted Body to
R. R. Yard

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., March 26.—Caspar Didia, 14 years old, confessed today, according to the police, that he helped his mother club to death his stepfather, Joseph Scabius. Then, according to the confession, he and his brother James, nine years old, placed the body in a toy wagon and carted it to the railroad yards where they left it. The body was found early by a switching crew.

He was awakened during the night, Caspar declared, by a quarrel between his mother and stepfather. "I struck him with an axe and a shovel, and my mother hit him with a stick," the police quoted him as saying. "Then my brother and I carried the body away in the cart."

LT. COL. MORROW

Selected by President as Governor of Panama Zone

WASHINGTON, March 26.—Lieut. Col. Jay J. Morrow, army engineer corps, is understood to have been selected by President Harding as governor of the Panama Canal Zone, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Col. Chester Harding. He is now acting governor.

What About the Average Woman

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ALL CREEDS MOURN DEATH

Hundreds of Messages of
Sympathy and Regret at
Death of Card. Gibbons

Testimonial From Hebrew
Congregation—Resolution
By Church Federation

BALTIMORE, March 26.—Among hundreds of messages of sympathy and regret at the death of Cardinal Gibbons that continue to pour in at the archiepiscopal residence from persons of all creeds and rank, is an official testimonial from the Baltimore Hebrew congregation. It extends the sympathy of the congregation to the members of the household and to their "Catholic brethren of Baltimore" and concludes:

"We voice the prayer that in God's providence a leader shall be given to the Catholics of America who shall maintain the same noble standards of Catholic dignity, American citizenship and human service."

The Baltimore Federation of Churches, representing virtually all the Protestant denominations of the city, has adopted a resolution expressing appreciation of the life and work of Cardinal Gibbons and extending their sympathy in his death.

"His name has long been a household word in our beloved Baltimore," the resolution continues, "and the fame thereof has reached to world proportions. By the dedication of his life to great Christian ideals, as well as his devotion to the establishment of righteousness, he merits the praise and esteem of all men without distinction of creed or sect."

Francis Pays Tribute
WASHINGTON, March 26.—An official expression of the cordiality of the French government at the death of Cardinal Gibbons was transmitted to Baltimore today by Ambassador Jusserand.

"I am instructed," the message said, "by the government of the French republic to express to you the heartfelt condolences on the demise of his eminence, Cardinal Gibbons, whose nobility and patriotism will ever remain a model for all honest-minded citizens."

SCHOONER BLUE NOSE LAUNCHED
LUNENBURG, N. S., March 26.—Decorated with flags and bunting, the schooner Blue Nose, a possible contender in the international fishermen's races off Halifax next fall, was launched here today. Virtually the entire population of the town attended the ceremony.

Quiet in Police Court
A quiet day was reported at police headquarters early in the afternoon. Only one arrest was made during the morning, when Henry Belliveau, a laborer, 27, of Manchester, N. H., was arrested on Suffolk street by Officer F. Kignler, and locked up on drunkenness charges.

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COMMUNISTS ARE ROUTED

Driven Out of Eisleben and
Hettstedt by German Police in Fierce Fighting

Communists Retreating Across
Fields—Some Throw
Away Guns

OBERROEBLINGEN, Prussian Saxony, March 26.—(By Associated Press) Reports that the Communist forces which have been fighting in Eisleben against the Security police for three days have been driven out of that city were brought here today by men breathless from running the 12 miles which lie between Eisleben and this little Saxon village. They said that the Communists were retreating across the fields, for the most part in good order, but some had thrown away their

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DRY LAW VIOLATIONS

Unusual Features Connected
With Liquor Cases in
Police Court

Three cases of liquor law violations, all possessing unusual features, were heard by Judge Knight in the police court today, and as a result, Ernest Pappas will languish in jail until he pays the balance of a \$100 fine, while Narcisse Gilbert, parted with \$100, and Oreste Bordeleau with \$50. Pappas was found guilty two weeks ago, of illegally selling and illegally keeping liquor at his Jefferson street soft drink establishment. The illegal keeping count was placed on file while Pappas was assessed \$100 for the sale, which was made to a man working with the liquor officers. He pleaded for two weeks to pay, and this was granted.

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WEALTHY FARMER HELD ON MURDER CHARGE

BURLINGTON, Vt., March 26.—Edward Garrow, aged 45, a prosperous farmer of Franklin, was arrested at his home last evening, charged with the murder of his wife on Nov. 30, 1920. Garrow's wife was found dead with two bullet wounds in her head and was believed to have committed suicide until persistent rumors that Mrs. Garrow had been murdered following trouble over a hired girl to whom it was alleged Garrow had paid attention, reached the ears of State Attorney Rowley of Franklin, who ordered an inquest. Over 20 persons were examined, the inquest covering several days. The body of Mrs. Garrow was then exhumed and an autopsy performed. Nothing was done about the matter until Mr. J. Alexander became state's attorney, when the grand jury was called and an indictment against Garrow charging murder was returned.

Garrow is in the county jail in St. Albans, where he protests his innocence. It is expected he will be tried at the present term of Franklin county court.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—James C. Davis of Iowa is understood to have been selected by President Harding for the post of director general of railroads.

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CRITICIZE THE CITY LIBRARY

State Officials Say it Compares Unfavorably With Other Similar Institutions

Give Strong Approval to Open-Shelf System of Handling Books

"That the Lowell city library does not compare favorably with similar institutions in other cities of the same class in the number of books circulated in proportion to the population or in the ease in which books may be obtained" is the opinion of the state library department, according to a statement made today by Secretary-Manager George F. Wells of the department in conference with the officials of the department in Boston yesterday. It is also stated that the department strongly approves of the open-shelf system of handling books as being calculated to add to the circulation by making it possible for readers to obtain the volumes that are interesting to them.

Critical of Bindery
The state department also criticized the keeping of a so-called "bindery" department in connection with the

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DYING MAN MARRIED

John F. McCarthy on Verge
of Death From Bullet
Wound Weds Miss Corthell

BOSTON, March 26.—Lying on a cot in the city hospital here with death expected momentarily as the result of a bullet wound, John F. McCarthy was married late last night to Miss Eva Maude Corthell, 19 years of age. The doctors reported his condition as slightly improved today, although with little hope of his recovery.

McCarthy was shot during an affray in a South End saloon in which his companion, John B. "Larry" McLean, a former major league baseball catcher, was killed last Thursday.

When McCarthy realized that there was virtually no chance of living, he urged that the marriage to Miss Corthell take place at once. They had been engaged for several months and tied marriage intentions on January 12.

On the arrival of a priest to perform the ceremony, it was discovered that in the haste to arrange the wedding the ring had been forgotten. One of the nurses volunteered the use of her finger ring.

TEST CASE ON DRAFT ACT

Court to Decide if Mailing of
Postcard Constituted Sufficient Notification

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 26.—Whether mailing of a postcard constituted sufficient notification of a summons to the colors under the selective draft act is the principal point involved in habeas corpus proceedings on call in federal court at Kansas City, Kas., today to bring about the release from prison of Erwin Bergdoll of Philadelphia.

Erwin Bergdoll, a brother of Erwin C. Bergdoll, the draft evader now in Germany, is serving a five years' sentence in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth.

It is expected the decision will determine whether several slackers shall be brought to trial. Bergdoll contends that he never received notice to report for military service. The government contends that a postcard notice was mailed to him and that proof of mailing is all that is required.

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144 Indictments Returned as Result of Second Investigation Into 1919 World Series

REPRISALS BY CROWN FORCES

Pandemonium Prevailed in
Westport, County Mayo,
Ireland, Early Today

Continuous Gunfire in Various
Parts of the Town for
Several Hours

WESTPORT, County Mayo, Ire., March 26.—(By Associated Press)—Pandemonium prevailed here early today when crown forces engaged in reprisals for a recent ambush near here. There was continuous gunfire in various parts of the town for several hours. Houses and shops were wrecked with bombs and furniture and other effects were burned. For several days past many persons have been sleeping outdoors in anticipation of reprisals.

Heavy Sentences

BELFAST, March 26.—A court martial today sentenced Owen McCaffrey to 10 years' penal servitude and Frank McCaffrey to 15 years in prison for their connection with the shooting of Police Sergeant Lucas at Tempo, County Fermanagh.

EASTER SUNDAY HERE

Plans for Brilliant Observance if Weather Man Cooperates

Lowell was all set for her Easter observance today, until the weather man acquired a grouchy and gave indications of spoiling all the well laid plans for tomorrow. About noon a vigorous shower scattered the city and a little later came the news that a rainstorm which originated in Colorado was heading northeastward and that the city and the rest of New England could expect cloudy weather at least tomorrow, and in all probability copious showers.

It remains to be seen whether this dire threat will be carried out. Early this afternoon the sun broke through the clouds for a fraction of a minute, but not long enough to kindle hopes in the hearts of the hundreds of Lowellites who plan to appear in new clothes tomorrow.

Despite the industrial depression which Lowell suffered this winter, the stores had their usual pre-Easter jams of shoppers today and while the sales will probably not reach the volume of last year, they will be

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FINAL PAYMENT ON OLD HIGH SCHOOL

The city will make a complete and final payment on the old high school building in Kirk street next Tuesday when the \$150,000 worth of notes, which were issued in 1901 to pay for the school will become due.

There was a gasp of surprise when City Auditor J. Joseph Hennessy told the newspapermen this morning that the \$150,000, which becomes due Tuesday, represents the total cost of the high school building. It has been maintained as a sinking fund. The new high school addition, which is said to be two and a half times as large as the original building, will cost more than \$2,600,000, a striking example of the increase in the cost of building in the past two decades.

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NOTICE—Members of A. A. R. I. R.
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MARY McKENNEY, Sec.

RESIGNATION IS DEMANDED

Maine Governor Asks Chairman
of Public Utilities
Commission to Resign

Objects to Public Official
Acting for Private Interests
—Chairman Not to Quit

AUGUSTA, Me., March 26.—The resignation of Benjamin F. Cleaves as chairman of the public utilities commission was requested today by Governor Baxter. The request was made because he appeared as counsel for the Associated Industries of Maine at a hearing Thursday afternoon before the committee on legal affairs. The governor is proposing a constitutional amendment for state control and taxation of water power. Chairman Cleaves informed Governor Baxter that he absolutely refused to resign and that he shall resist removal as he does not believe any cause for removal exists. He said that early this year he had told the late Governor Parkhurst and Governor Baxter that he would be relieved of his duties at their convenience in order that he might become executive secretary of the Associated Industries of Maine.

Governor Baxter in a letter to Chairman Cleaves said: "It has been stated to me on reliable authority, confirmed by the newspaper reports, that at a hearing Thursday before the legal affairs committee on the waterpower constitutional amendment you announced that you represented the Associated Industries, an association of manufacturers and other private interests formed for their mutual protection and advancement."

"It was not proper that you, a servant of the public, representing the people of the state and paid by them should appear as an attorney of any private and special interests."

"I am of the opinion that you as chairman of the public utilities commission should not have appeared at a public hearing except in your official capacity, representing the people of the state."

"Your usefulness as chairman of the most important administrative body of the state has ceased, and I request you to give me your resignation, the same to take effect immediately."

The resolve for the proposed constitutional amendment was introduced in response to a request made in a special message to the legislature from Governor Baxter on March 17.

HER 88TH BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Abbie Louise Whitney of Stoneham, who is well-known here as a speaker at G. A. R. gatherings and for her interest in G. A. R. Women's Relief corps work, is today observing her 88th anniversary and in recognition of the occasion has sent a card of greetings to Mayor Thompson.

LONDON, March 26.—A despatch to the Star from Belfast today says the authorities there have obtained an inkling of a Sinn Fein plot to prevent the establishment and operation of the Ulster parliament.

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Elaborate Easter Musical Programs In the Local Churches Tomorrow

This year's Easter music in the local churches will be up to the usual high standard of previous years and will fittingly express the spirit of the resurrection. Special musical programs will be carried out at the high masses and at vespers services in all the Catholic churches tomorrow. The program in Methodist and Protestant churches will be as follows:

ST. PATRICK'S
Solemn High Mass 11 o'clock
Processional, Surrexit Christus Hodie
Sanctuary Chorus
Antiphone, Vidi Aquam Rosewig
Church Choir
Introit, Resurrexisti J. Falkenstein
Mass, St. Thomas A. Silver
(Kyrie, Gloria, Credo, Sanctus, Benedictus, Agnus Dei.)
Church and Sanctuary Chorus
Gradual, Haec Dies P. Abbade
Sanctuary Chorus
Offertory, Terra Tremuit J. Wiegand
Church and Sanctuary Chorus
Communion, Pascha Nostrum
Sanctuary Chorus
Recessional, Hallelujah Chorus
Handel
Responses by sanctuary choir of 50 voices; Brother Nilus, director.
Church quartet: Miss Frances Tighe, soprano; Mrs. James Morris, contralto; Mr. John McNabb, tenor; Mr. George Kirwin, bass; assisted by Mr. D. S. O'Brien, baritone. A chorus of 30 voices and M. J. Johnson at the organ.
Vespers 4 o'clock
Processional, Surrexit Christus Hodie
Today
Psalm and Antiphons of the feast sung antiphonally, from Bristol and Main chant.
Church and Sanctuary Chorus
Antiphon of the day, Haec Dies, R. P. Abbade
Magnificat Webbe
Antiphon of the season, Regina Coeli, E. Rosewig
Sanctuary Chorus
Benediction, quartet, O Salutaris, A. Pecher
Chorus, Tantum Ergo Sewell
Church Choir
Recessional, Hymn for Easter, Cardinal O'Connell
Sanctuary Chorus

ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH
Solemn High Mass 11 a. m.
Organ Prelude, Surrexit Christus Hodie
Kyrie, Mass in F Rosewig
Gloria, Mass in F Rosewig
Credo, Mass in F Rosewig
Offertory, Ave Maria, from opera, Maritani Wallace
Duet, Katherine V. Hennessy and Frederic G. Bond
Sanctus, Mass in F Rosewig
Benedictus, Mass in F Rosewig
Agnus Dei, Mass in F Rosewig
Recessional, "Marche Militaire"
Gounod
Soprano soloists: Bertha Coult, Margaret Ennis, Rose McCarthy, Mrs.

Anti-Soviet Rising in Kzan

STOCKHOLM, March 26.—An anti-soviet rising has occurred in Kzan, about 550 miles east of Moscow, on the Volga, according to despatches received. Many soviet officials, including some members of the extraordinary commission in the city, have been killed and the commission's headquarters has been burned.

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Sanctus Gounod
Benedictus Gounod
Agnus Dei Gounod
Communion Gregorian
Recessional, Haec Dies Gounod
Solemn Vespers 6:30 p. m.
Psalm Gregorian
Laude Gregorian
In Exultation Gregorian
Haec Dies Gregorian
Magnificat Gregorian
Regina Coeli Gregorian
O Salutaris, duet, Galbraith
Tantum Ergo Verdi No. 1
Holy God Verdi No. 1
Choral
Soloists: church quartet, Miss Alice Dacey, contralto; James King, tenor; William Gookin, bass. Chorus of 30 voices. Mrs. Hugh Walker, organist; William L. Gookin, director.

SACRED HEART CHURCH
Moore St.
Solemn High Mass, 11 a. m.
Organ Prelude, Triumphant March
Processional Hymn, King of Glory
Vidi Aquam Gregorian
Introitus—Resurrexisti Gregorian
Sanctuary Chorus
Church Choir
Soloists in mass—Miss Helen Wilson, Miss Sadie Corry, John McMahon, Timothy Finnigan
Vesper Service, 6:30 p. m.
Organ Prelude—Adoration Wely
Revere Lott
Offertory Spinney
Processional Hymn—King of Glory, Young
Sanctuary Chorus
Trio—Ave Maria Stella Abbott
Miss Sadie Corry, John McMahon, Timothy Finnigan
Chorus—Haec Dies Gregorian
Church Choir
Soloists, Miss Irene Harkins
Solemn Benediction
Chorus—Ave Verum Gullmaunt
Church Choir
Quartet—Tantum Ergo Rosewig
Church Quartet
Adoremus Gregorian
Laude Domini Gregorian
Recessional Hymn—Hosanna Young
Sanctuary Chorus
Postlude—The Lord Is Great, Mendelssohn

Church choir of 40 voices, assisted by sanctuary choir of 50 voices, will render the musical program at both morning and evening services.
Church quartet—Miss Helen Wilson, soprano; Miss Sadie Corry, alto; John McMahon, tenor; Timothy Finnigan, bass.
Organist and Director—John J. Kelly.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH
Processional—Felicis
Introitus—Resurrexisti Teresi
Kyrie Teresi
Gloria Teresi
Gradual—Haec Dies Bavanello
Victimae paschali Perosi
Credo Gounod
Offertory—Terra Tremuit Gounod
Ave Verum Gullmaunt
Quartet
Sanctus Perosi
Agnus Dei Perosi
Communion, Pascha Teresi
Recessional—Haec Dies Bordes
Quartet—Miss Florence Hague, Miss Sadie Sheehan, John Doyle, James E. Dunally
Easter Evening Service
Processional—Regina Coeli, Hammerel
Miss Mae Rynne
Solemn Vespers
O Salutaris Wels
Ave Verum Gullmaunt
Quartet
Tantum Ergo Schmidt
Laude Bordes
Recessional—Haec Dies Bordes
Miss Gertrude M. Guilgley, organist.
Rev. Peter T. Linehan, director.

NOTRE DAME DE LOURDES
High Mass 11 a. m.
Jubilate Deo Silver
Resurrexisti Labit
Children's Choir
Mass in C Zangi
Soloists by Misses Emily Gaudette and Josephine Desrocher, Mrs. E. Gaudette, Messrs Letendre and Gaudette.
Offertory, Alleluia! Gullbault
Full Choir
Chorus of Angels in E flat Whitney
Organ
Regina Coeli Gastinel
Miss Marguerite Turgeon
March Aux Flambeaux Gullmaunt
Organ
Vespers 6:30 p. m.
Prelude Batiste
Psalm Gregorian Chant
Choir
Regina Coeli Gastinel
Miss Marguerite Turgeon
Benediction
O Salutaris Luigi
Miss Emily Gaudette
Ave Maria Millard
Miss Josephine Desrocher
Tantum Ergo Lambillotte
Marcha Triumphant
Organ

ST. ANTHONY'S CHURCH
Solemn High Mass at 9 o'clock.
The regular choir of the church will sing Bishop Da Silva's First Mass, together with choice compositions of Abbadi, Stewart and De Merlier.
There will be solemn vespers at 7 in the evening and the music will be selected from compositions of Koroman and Lambillotte.
During solemn benediction, the "O Salutaris" and "Tantum Ergo," with the pen of Bishop Da Silva will be sung.

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Light and Dark Mixtures.
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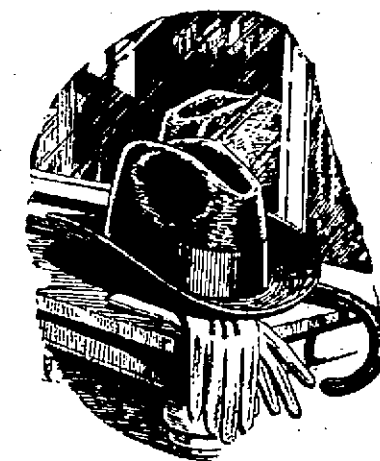
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MEN'S CAPS

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High Mass at 11 a. m. Vespers at 7 p. m. A brilliant musical program has been arranged by the choir to be sung by the church choir of 50 boys and men (vested), who will sing the processional, responses and Easter carols.
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High Mass at 10:30 A. M.
Processional March J. V. Flagler
Prelude E. F. Johnson
Melody in D Flat Wm. Faulkes
Organist
Aperges Turner
Kyrie Turner
Gloria Turner
Credo Turner
Mass of St. Cecilia
Church Choir
Offertory, Ave Maria Gounod

With violin obligato by Mary McFarland
Sanctus Turner
Benedictus Turner
Agnus Dei Turner
Choir
Recessional March Dolby
Organist
Processional March Ratine
Regina Coeli Webbe
O Salutaris Holden
Eve Song Wm. Hinckley
Tantum Ergo Webbe
To Deum
Choir
Triumphal March J. V. Flagler
Violinist, Mr. Paul Turcotte
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Introit, Resurrexisti Gregorian
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Christe duet
Mrs. Blanche Germain and Miss Bernadette Fontaine
Gloria, Gratias Agimus
Qui Tollis
Mass of St. Cecilia
Graduale, Haec Dies Hammerel
Exultemus

Miss Alice Belanger
Alcibiades, duet.
Miss Eldredge Bedard, Mr. Edouard
Contestum, duet
Mrs. Louise Chaffoux, Miss Bernadette Fontaine
Credo, Visibilium
Mr. Edouard Gregoire
Genitum, Mr. Cuthbert Maille
Et incarnatus Est
Mrs. Blanche Germain
Et Resurrexisti, duet
Mrs. Amanda David, Mr. Joseph
Et in Spiritum, Mr. Oller J. David
Qui Cum Patre
Mrs. Louise Chaffoux
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Soloists—Miss Fleur Ange Brousseau, Mr. Louis Michaud
Sanctus
Mrs. Louise Chaffoux
Benedictus, duet
Mrs. Blanche Germain, Miss Eldredge Bedard
Agnus Dei—Soloists, Miss Alice Belanger, Mr. Levy Fournier, Mr. Edouard
Communion, Pascha Nostrum
Gregorian
Mr. Oller J. David
Organ and Orchestra
Vespers and benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 6:30 p. m.
Deus Adjutorium

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SENATOR CUMMINS TALKS UPON CONDITION OF RAILROADS

Cost of Operation Must Come Down and
Management Must Be Improved---Col-
lapse in Business---Reduced Revenues

By H. E. R. BRIGGS
WASHINGTON, March 26.—"The
railroads will not go to smash during
the next few months—and there won't
be any more legislation to help them."
This is the plain declaration of Sen-
ator Albert B. Cummins of Iowa, chair-
man of the senate committee on inter-
state commerce, and one of the authors
of the transportation act of 1920.

"Most of the roads will be able to
pay operating expenses at least, even
if a revival of business is deferred un-
til next fall or winter," Cummins said.
And then the senator gave his diag-
nosis of the railroad crisis and pre-
scribed his cure.

"Just two things have to be done,"
says Cummins.

"First, the cost of operation has got
to come down.

"Second, if railroad management is
not efficient it must be changed so that
it will be efficient.

"This change cannot be brought
about by law. It must come by the
opening of the eyes of those who own
the railroads, the real owners, the
stockholders.

"I take it for granted that when
their eyes are opened they will select
competent and efficient men to man-
age their property."

"If it turns out after a fair trial
that we cannot get efficiency in rail-
road management, there will be noth-
ing to do but resort to government
ownership, which I do not believe the
country wants, but may be forced to
adopt.

No further legislation is required for
the successful operation of the rail-
roads, assuming that the management
of the roads is efficient.

"It may be that additional legislation
will be called for later, but it hasn't
become necessary yet.

"The transportation act of 1920 was
not perfect, but we provided the roads
with all they need if they are properly
and wisely managed.

"The difficulty with the railroads at

present is due to a tremendous falling
off in traffic.

"About one-sixth of the freight
equipment of the roads is idle.

"This slump began about the mid-
dle of last November. It was the re-
sult of the general collapse of the
country's commerce, a result of the
war, felt in every country. Rail busi-
ness naturally must be less on a fall-
ing market. Everything had been go-
ing down.

Costs Far Too High

"That, however, doesn't account for
the entire situation, or even for the
greater part of it.

"The railroads' condition is due to
the fact that the cost of operation is
far too high. It must come down.

"Steel products must come down,
and wood products. Judge Gary was
mistaken when he said that the price
of steel would not come down. It will,
at least as soon as labor comes down.
And labor, too, must come down.

"But I don't believe that labor ought
to come down except as the actual cost
of living drops, and certainly not to
the level of the cost of living in 1914."

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POLYGLOT POPULATION

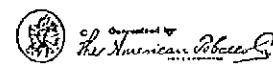
Almost Every Country on
the Globe is Represented
in Lowell

Lowell is one of the most cosmopol-
itan cities in the world, bar none.
Every continent has sent its quota
here to go into the melting pot of fu-
ture Americans. Every language, al-
most every dialect, has its representa-
tives here, although English, of course,
is the predominant tongue because no
matter what the language with which



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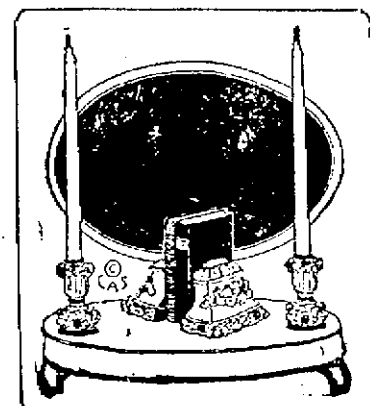
an alien comes here, his ambition is
to Americanize himself as rapidly as
possible through the effective method
of speaking the mother-tongue of na-
tive Americans. Figures have been
secured by The Sun, which show some
interesting facts as to the popularity
of Lowell among various nationalities.
In the first place, the directory for 1920
estimates that the city possesses a
population of 125,900 in round num-
bers. Including men, women, and chil-
dren, native-born and foreign-born.
In spite of the number of men who
come here because of economic rea-
sons, and before they have amassed
sufficient capital to have their families
accompany them, it is believed that
half the total population are women.
The census of 1910, in fact, gave wom-
en a slight precedence numerically,
for its figures showed that there were
54,769 of the female sex, against a
total number of 106,294 inhabitants.

Various social welfare organizations
have estimated relative national groups
here, basing their figures upon autho-
ritative sources. It appears to be the
universal estimate that French-speak-
ing inhabitants outnumber those who
speak any other single foreign tongue.
At the same time, it is probably the
case that there are more French-
speaking people who at the same time
are acquainted with English than any
other racial unit, which did not speak
English originally. The International
Institute officials think that there are
probably 25,000 inhabitants of this city
who are of French extraction. The
Community Service club is in substan-
tial agreement with this estimate, al-
though it places 25,000 as the minimum
figure, with a maximum of 30,000. The
Community Service has it that there
are 10,000 of Polish nativity or deriva-
tion here, while the International In-
stitute, which does much work among
this group, places its appraisal at 5,000.
"This is quite a discrepancy. However,
a cause for this peculiarity seems to lie
in the apparent fact that the Polish peo-
ple have but recently become part of
our city's population in large numbers.
The 1910 census does not mention them
at all, presumably classifying them

ANNOUNCING THE OPENING OF Our New "Gift Shop"

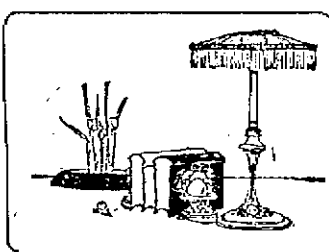
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In this "Shop," which is on the second
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and most complete assortments of Gift-needs
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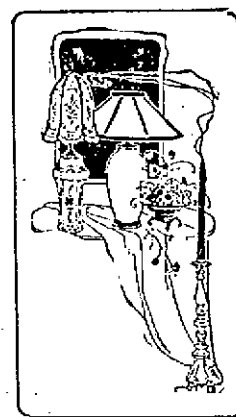
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Fancy Cigarette Boxes
Artificial Fruit
Polychrome Lamps
Polychrome Candle Sticks
Polychrome Book Ends
Telephone Ladies
Console Tables
Boudoir Lady Lamps

Luster Ware Vases
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under the German, Russian and Aus-
trian quota. There remains little
basis for comparison in view of this
ignoring of racial distinctness prior to
the war. The Community Service
says we have upwards of 20,000 repre-
sentatives of the ancient culture of
Ireland working their Celtic leaves of
civility and courtesy here. Authori-
ties agree that between thirteen and
fifteen thousand Greeks reside here,
and it has been stated that Lowell is
one of the most populous Greek cities
in the world. When the Portu-
guese unit comes up for discussion,
however, there is again disagreement,
a disagreement of 4,000 on the one
hand, and 5,000 on the other.

The International Institute, whose
special mission is among our alien-
born Americans, reports the following
as its computation of other groups:
Lithuanians, 2,000; Slovians, 1,000;
Armenians, 800; Russians, 500; and
Turks, 500. Seventy-five per cent of

these are supposed to be foreign-
speaking. There are also small rep-
resentations of Austrians, Belgians,
Canadians, other than French, Danes,
English, Finnish, Germans, Hungar-
ians, Italians, Norwegians, Rouman-
ians, Swedes and Welsh. The Ethio-
pian and Malay population is small,
although the 133 recorded colored in-
habitants of ten years ago have doubt-
less received substantial increases, due
to the influx from the south in search
of more humane living and working
conditions. Chinese restaurants, with
their fascinating foods, have made the
orientals a welcome addition to Low-
ell, although probably there are less
than a dozen Japanese in the city. The
Japanese remain chiefly in the west,
while the Chinese spread everywhere,
establishing themselves firmly by their
necessary position in the American
economic scheme.

An interesting bit of statistics is
furnished by the Y.W.C.A., which in
1917 reported 3730 women found in the
city engaged in industrial pursuits, and
speaking little or no English. It is be-
lieved, however, that the last three
years, with their Americanization ac-
tivities and educational enterprises,
would render unnecessary a decisive
revision of this computation today. As
an example of the thoroughgoing
methods now being employed it may
be indicated that the International In-
stitute sends teachers of English to
the homes of foreign-speaking women
whose domestic cares prevent them
from attending classes elsewhere. The
teachers who are destined of learn-
ing English—and it is found that the
enthusiasm to become familiar with
the tongue of their adopted country is
practically universal—are called in,
and around the living-room table, in
the heart of the family circle, while
the younger children sleep, the lessons
in English go on.

It would be interesting, social work-
ers believe, to take a census which
would merely concern itself with na-
tionalities, and to ascertain exactly
how many different political divisions
of the earth are represented here.
Those who have been engaged in work

among the foreign-born in Lowell be-
lieve that the results of such a plan
would prove startling. The fame of
this city as a centre where all races
may meet on a footing of justice and
friendship has spread throughout the
Old World and the New. Persians,
East Indians, Laplanders, others from
strange and quaint portions of the
globe would probably be located. It
is felt. A native of San Marino, the
smallest republic in the world, a dot
on the map of Italy, might be discov-
ered. Andorra, the tiny nation which
lies in the lap of the Pyrenees, where
Spain meets France, and the two
tongues blend into Basque, might be
located. A convention of races, it is
thought, might be the result, with more
knowledge of geography, customs, tra-
ditions, and religions coming to light
than years of class-room work could
produce. Those who have thought of
this plan recommend it to the atten-
tion of those interested in real Ameri-
canization.

The greatest per capita water pow-
er development of any country in the
world is that of Norway, Canada com-
ing second.

HILLTOP SERVICE TO GREET EASTER

The dawn of Easter day tomorrow
will be greeted by a sunrise meeting
at 6 o'clock, held on the top of Fort
Hill, under the direction of members
of the United Society of Christian
Endeavor in Lowell. Similar services
have been held for a number of years
and have been largely attended.
Miss Irene Grimmet, chairman of the
quiet hour department of the organi-
zation, will lead the service. A quiet
hour talk will be given by Rev. John
Singleton of the Lawrence Street
Primitive Methodist church. The
singing is to be under the direction
of Wallace McQuestion.
Next Monday evening in the High-
land Congregational church the Chris-
tian Endeavor union will hold a
monthly meeting. There will be ad-
dresses by Russell J. Rial, county
president, and Miss Elsie Wood, coun-
ty quiet hour superintendent.

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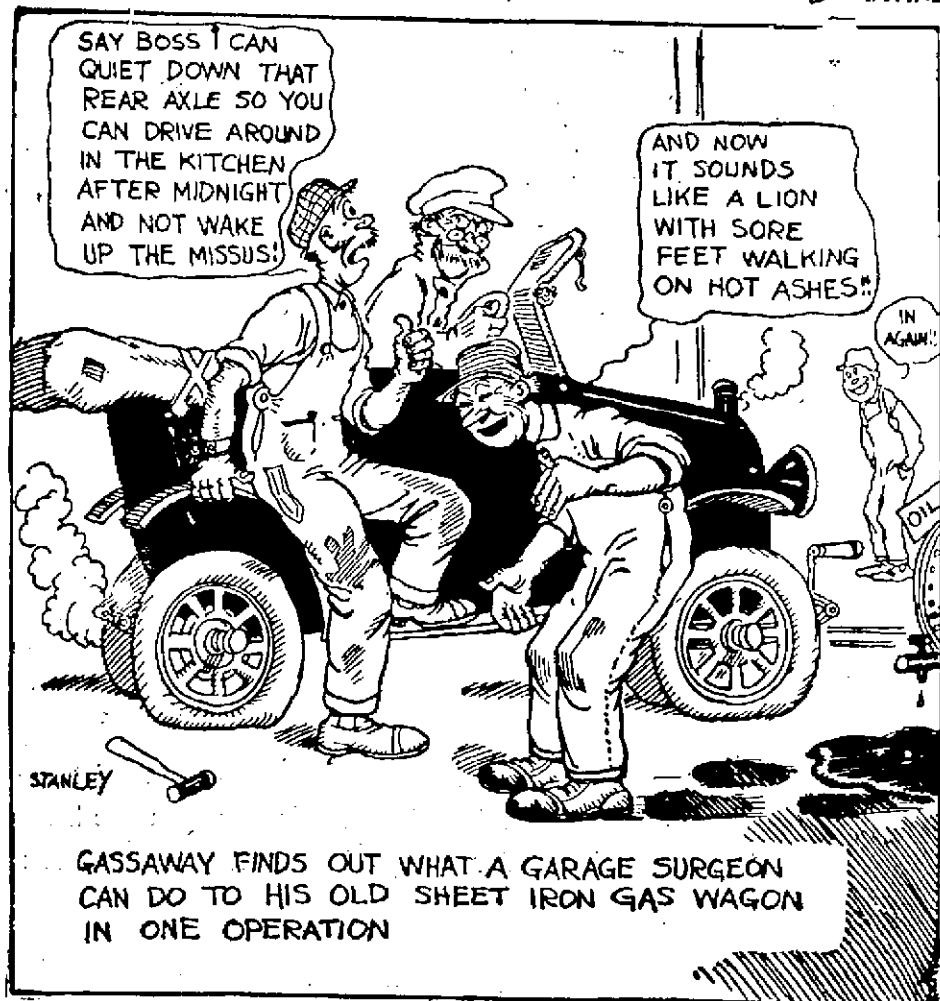
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ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton

MR. LEO LION AND FAMILY

The next circus animals marked on the sole of Flippety-Flap's great shoe were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lion, address, Rocky-Cave-Under-the-Ledge-Near-the-Water-Hole-in-the-Forest-Africa.

Off went Nancy, Nick and the fairy-men, brave as hunters, to see if they couldn't persuade his Royal Highness to return to the circus and bring his wife along.

What, my friends, is more needed to make a real circus than Mr. Lion?

Never frighten a lion, my dears! He gets very nervous.

"Wh-wh-wha't that?" whispered Nancy all at once.

The three stopped and listened.

Funny little sounds were coming from the cave—queer little yaps and meows. Sort of kittenish and puppyish. Suddenly Flippety-Flap grinned.

"Lands alive!" he exclaimed. "The

CHECK AND LETTER OF APPRECIATION

One of the very interesting features of the local Y.M.C.A. drive for \$12,000 is the following letter which was received by T. R. Williams, Community Boys' secretary, at the Y.M.C.A., yesterday, and which demonstrates very well the manner in which the association can not only mold a character but can find its place in the hearts of the people.

338 Clinton Avenue,
Newark, New Jersey,
March 30, 1921.

Dear Mr. Williams:

I see by the Lowell paper you are raising funds for the carrying on of the work of the Y.M.C.A. Mr. P. and I want to send you a little help in remembrance of Fred. We know it would be his wish as he thought so much of the Y.M.C.A. and you.

Our hearts are yet very sad, Mr. Williams, over our loss naturally, but we are so grateful that Fred knew you and loved you. Kindly accept the enclosed check for the work with our best wishes for its success and with our sincere regards for yourself.

Sincerely yours,

MR. and MRS. S. A. PICKERING.

The next meeting of the team workers will be held at the Y.M.C.A. Monday noon, the 28th, at 12:15. Lunch will be served by Mrs. Frank A. Hall, vice-president of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y.M.C.A.

CONVENTION DELEGATES

At a recent meeting of Court Merrimack, N. H., a list of the following delegates were chosen to attend the grand court convention, which will be held in Worcester May 17: Ambrose Ready, Thomas F. Kelley and Edward J. McInnes. The alternates chosen were Arthur St. Albans, Richard J. Townsend and Arthur Bernhart. Silent tributes were paid to the memory of the late Brethren McKella and Dudley.

Voices appear louder under a tunnel because the sounds are immediately reflected from the inside surface. On the same principle that a gas reflector increases the intensity of light, so a sound reflector increases the apparent strength of the voice under this condition.



THEY DIDN'T WISH TO FRIGHTEN MR. LION.

Can't you close your eyes and hear the hollow rumble of his great red and gold wagon over paving stones and car tracks in the parade? And don't you shiver when you hear him greet the watching crowds with a thunderous "Ah-oom" as he paces back and forth in his cage? Oh, yes, it was quite necessary for the little adventurers to coax Mr. Leo back.

With their Magic Shoes the three of them arrived at the proper address, but being cautious, they wished them-

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1920 Cleveland.....5	Passenger	Touring
1919 Dodge.....5	Passenger	Touring
1920 Moon.....5	Passenger	Touring
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WILL NOT BE CANDIDATE

Harris Wants Younger Man to Head Fish and Game Association

At the last meeting of the Lowell Fish and Game association Simon B. Harris announced that he would not be a candidate for president at the annual election in April. It is understood that there are at least three candidates for the office.

Mr. Harris has been an active and efficient worker for the association since its inception and a great deal of the success of the organization is due to his well directed efforts. He has served as president of the organization for six years and has been instrumental in bringing about legislation that has been helpful to sportsmen as well as to out-door-life in general.

In conversation with the writer today, who is also a member of the association, Mr. Harris said: "I have served the Lowell Fish and Game association for six years and have enjoyed every minute of it. I have at all times received the heartiest co-operation of the members as a whole and I think I am pardonably proud of the success that we have made. Our association is one of the largest and most influential of its kind in this section of the country and we have done a great deal toward the preservation and conservation of fish and game. Our chief aim at this time is to have the fishway at Pawtucket Falls restored and I feel that will come in time, though there has been a great deal of needless delay. Money has been appropriated, but nothing has yet been done except the making of a more or less superficial survey. We want real action in this matter, and we are going to have it before we get through."

"The reason I am not a candidate for re-election as president of the association is because I feel that I have done my bit as head of the organization and I want to make way for younger men. Speaking of younger men, I want to emphasize the fact that my association with them has been one of the very delightful features to me, of my work with the organization. The younger men have been an inspiration to me and while I am about to lay down the reins as president, I will still continue to work for the interests of the association and all that it represents, and I will still have the pleasure of meeting the younger men of whom I have grown so fond."

"I do not know who the candidates will be for office at the annual election in April. At the last meeting a committee of three was appointed to bring in a list of candidates, two for each office, including that of president, vice president, secretary and treasurer, and also executive board candidates."

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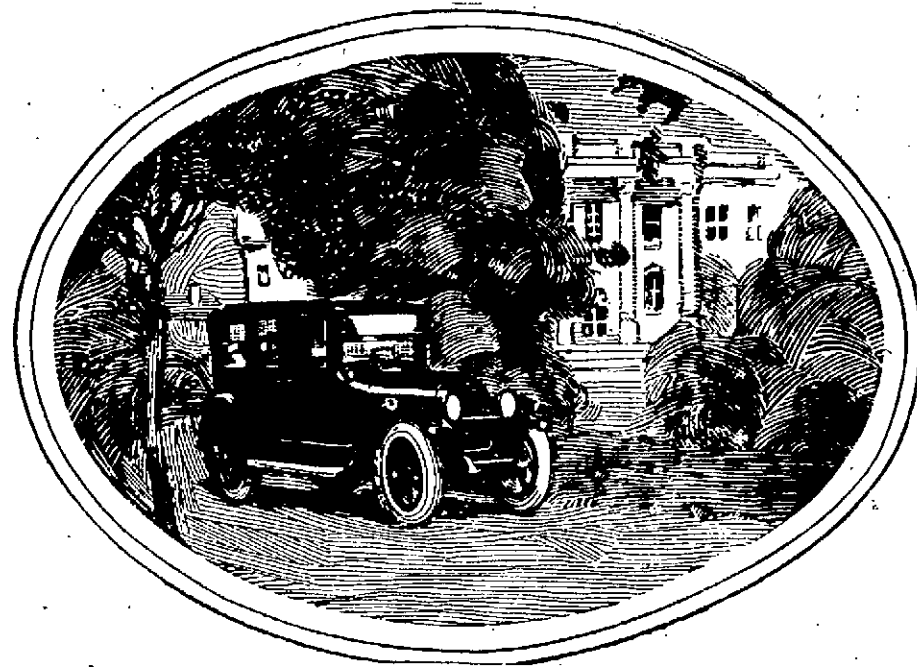
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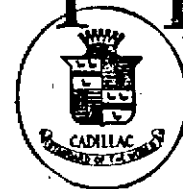
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Sporting News and Newsy Sports

LOWELL WINS THRILLING WELTERWEIGHTS TO MEET
OVERTIME GAME HERE NEXT THURSDAY

The league-leading New Bedford Whalers were forced to yield to Lowell in a fast and thrilling game at the Crescent rink last night. It required two minutes of overtime play to decide the winner and Al Davies lost to the occasion and taking a beautiful pass from Alexander sent the ball into the nets for an 8 to 7 score with Lowell on the long end.

The game is one that few will soon forget. Superb play was seen during the entire contest. Both clubs worked at bewildering speed, and their efforts were enthusiastically received by the fans. Lowell made an auspicious start by scoring three, while New Bedford got a lone one in the opening stanza. Only one minute and twenty-four seconds of play remained, and the fans felt confident. Bill Duggan, however, came through with one, tying the score, and five seconds later the horn sounded. After a brief rest, the players resumed activities, and whirling polo was played. In just two minutes after Davies pounded one by Jette's pads, the game was over with fans cheering the athletes to the echo.

The lineup and score:
LOWELL NEW BEDFORD
Alexander, 1r J. Duggan
Davies, 2r W. Jette
Quigley, 2r J. Duggan
Cusick, 2r J. Duggan
Blount, 2r J. Duggan

Scored by: Time
Duggan, New Bedford 58
Quigley, Lowell 2:26
Quigley, Lowell 5:29
Davies, Lowell 5:31
(Second Period)
Wiley, New Bedford 8:16
Duggan, New Bedford 1:14
Quigley, Lowell 2:01
Wiley, New Bedford 1:14
Duggan, New Bedford 1:38
Wiley, New Bedford 1:43
(Third Period)
Davies, Lowell 7:42
Alexander, Lowell 8:05
Duggan, New Bedford 1:19
(Overtime)
Davies, Lowell 2:05

Summary: Score, Lowell 8, New Bedford 7. Rushes, Alexander 12, Duggan 6, Stoss, Blount 31, Jette 62. Referee, Kilgarr.

POLO LEAGUE STANDING
New Bedford Won 16, Lost 4, P.C. 51.5
Fall River 71, 50, 58.7
Providence 63, 52, 56.7
Hartford 52, 60, 48.4
Worcester 51, 66, 43.6
Lowell 49, 71, 35.8

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS
Lowell 8, New Bedford 7 (overtime).
Fall River 5, Hartford 2.

GAMES TONIGHT
Lowell in Worcester.
Fall River in New Bedford.
Hartford in Providence.

DRAUGHT FIFTEEN WIN
A bowling match between the Draught Centre women and members of Battery B took place last evening with the draughters winning by a score of 1112 to 1293. The score was as follows:

Battery B—Savage 256, Desmarais 231, Wylie 251, McCarthy 252, Durgin 237, totals 1293.
Draught Fifteen—G. Hagus 329, F. Swindelle 362, L. Roth 255, W. Lavell 281, W. Hagus 251, totals 1412.

Births in England and Wales in 1920 were the highest ever recorded, and the death rate the lowest, according to official reports.

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AUTOTALK

USED CAR SHOW

The Lowell Oakland company is going to conduct a used car show all next week at their show room on Middlesex street when they will have some attractive bargains to offer to anyone interested in used cars. Their used car man says he has been in the automobile business for a good many years, but he has never seen offered so many real opportunities for the man who did not feel as though he could afford a new car but was ready to purchase a used car, knowing that the initial cost being reasonable he could afford to run a car.

USED CARS FOR SALE

Tom Rafter of the Hummobile and Standard Eight and Globe tire agencies has on hand some exceptionally fine used cars at all popular makes and is offering them for sale in his advertisement.

HANDICAP TOURNAMENT FOR LOCAL BOWLERS

A handicap tournament for both expert and amateur bowlers of this city will open Monday evening on the Crescent rinks and will continue through the months of April and May. The handicaps have been arranged by Walter E. Jewett, based on a careful study of averages compiled by local leagues. Chester Martel will start as scratch man while certain bowlers will have a handicap of 25 pins. Fourteen classifications have been arranged, 12 leagues and one list of independents. Individual prizes each week will be \$1, \$2, \$3, \$4, \$5, \$6, \$7, \$8, \$9, \$10, \$11, \$12, \$13, \$14, \$15, \$16, \$17, \$18, \$19, \$20, \$21, \$22, \$23, \$24, \$25, \$26, \$27, \$28, \$29, \$30, \$31, \$32, \$33, \$34, \$35, \$36, \$37, \$38, \$39, \$40, \$41, \$42, \$43, \$44, \$45, \$46, \$47, \$48, \$49, \$50, \$51, \$52, \$53, \$54, \$55, \$56, \$57, \$58, \$59, \$60, \$61, \$62, \$63, \$64, \$65, \$66, \$67, \$68, \$69, \$70, \$71, \$72, \$73, \$74, \$75, \$76, \$77, \$78, \$79, \$80, \$81, \$82, \$83, \$84, \$85, \$86, \$87, \$88, \$89, \$90, \$91, \$92, \$93, \$94, \$95, \$96, \$97, \$98, \$99, \$100.

"JOE" HALLORAN TELLS ABOUT THE APPERSON

Mr. "Joe" Halloran of the S. H. C. Motor Co. agents of the Dori, Apperson and Columbia cars, said in discussing the merits of the Apperson, the eight with the eighty less parts:

"Theoretically all you need to keep an automobile going is a heavy enough flywheel energized by an economical kick from the engine. But the trouble is, if you are doing out just enough gas to keep your one-lunger whirling, and under a certain load, and an extra load is suddenly thrown on the engine, the engine is apt to stall. Therefore, the man driving such a car would get so tired of stalling his engine that he would crowd an excessive amount of gas into it much of the time. The one-lunger is of course no longer considered practical for automobiles. But the principle of excess gas used to keep a lousy flywheel whirling operates to a considerable extent against the four as compared with the eight. Roughly, to get a given power, a given cubic displacement is required regardless of how many cylinders you divide the displacement among. The way to get economy is to effect a refinement in the engine design. The less flywheel in the engine and the fewer moving parts, then the less sluggishness there will be in the motor's action, the closer you can regulate its gas consumption to just enough for its work, and the greater economy you will get. These are just plain spots in the reason why the Apperson, the eight with eighty less parts is so thrifty in its use of gas and tires."

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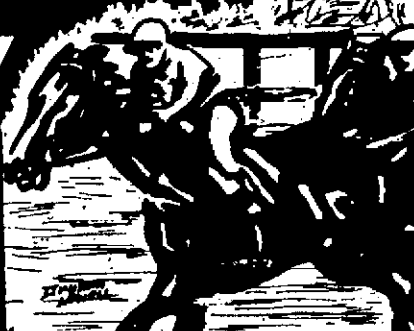
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 BUSTER KEATON IN "HAUNTED HOUSE"

SUNDAY—OLIVE THOMAS in "Out Yonder"—TAYLOR HOLMES in "The Very Idea"
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MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE
"Forbidden Fruit" Feature at Merrimack Square Theatre Next Week—
Easter Sunday Program
 Olive Thomas in "Out Yonder," and Taylor Holmes, star of many a stage success, in "The Very Idea," will be the leading attractions of the Easter Sunday program at the Merrimack Square Theatre.
 To mark the re-opening of the theatrical season following the Lenten period, Manager Nelson has arranged an exceptionally strong program for Sunday, Tuesday and Wednesday. The features will be the big Cecil B. DeMille production, "Forbidden Fruit," and "Straight is the Way," a Cosmopolitan production.
 The story of "Forbidden Fruit" will be continued to Page Thirteen.

The social service council of Canada, an undenominational body operating all through the Dominion, has as its object the nation-wide co-operation of provincial motion picture censors in the matter of condemning objectionable pictures.

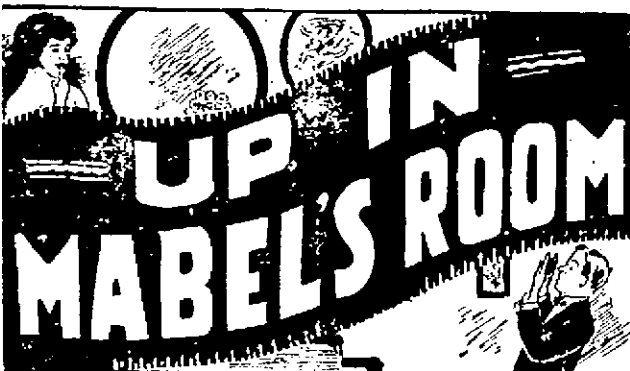
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SPECIAL SUNDAY
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 PICTURES
OWEN MOORE
 IN
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FREE INSURANCE
 For Employees of B. F. Keith's Theatre—Welfare Measure Will Include All of Keith Circuit

Every employee at B. F. Keith's theatre here will receive a life insurance policy, without being obliged to undergo the usual physical examination, it was announced yesterday by Manager B. F. Keith. Ushers, stage hands, office force, press department workers—everyone in any way connected with the local playhouse will share the benefits of this innovation. The B. F. Keith circuit has made arrangements to this end with the Travelers' Insurance company, and the new welfare measure will go into effect in Keith theatres throughout the country. The Keith treasury will carry this insurance, which it is estimated will amount to more than two million dollars. It is stated that this is the first instance of a commercial organization having paid for insurance for its employees, and also it is believed that this affords the first case of a theatrical

JEWEL THEATRE

"The Home of Sparkling Photoplays"

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"HAUNTED HOUSE"

— In —
"HAUNTED HOUSE"



Charles Ray In "19 AND PHYLLIS"

WILLIAM FAIRBANKS
 In "A Western Adventure"

LOIS WILSON
 In "Price Woman Paid"

COMING THURSDAY

concern participating in any benefit scheme for the members of the house force.
 The following method of conferring policies has been decided upon. When an employee has been with the Keith people for six months, a \$500 life insurance policy is granted. Up to two years, there is an increase to \$600; from two to three years, \$800; from three to four years, \$1000; and from five years upward, \$1200. The policy is payable to dependents of employees, and is entirely over and above any compensation which must be paid according to state laws. Death, total disability prior to the age of 60, loss of eyesight, hands or feet, are all in-

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TOM HOIER

In **"TWAS EVER THUS"**
 An Every Day Happening in Two Acts

2:30 P. M. TOMORROW'S BILL 7:30 P. M.

Coogan & Casey, Baroness De Hollub, Ryan & Bronson, Marcelle Fallet, Jordan & Heath, Merritt Trio, Elvira & Stone, and Pictures.

cluded. F. F. Albee, owner of the Keith circuit, conceived this plan for aiding his employees. "Much will have to be accomplished in the way of human adjustment before business itself can be adjusted," Mr. Albee is quoted as saying in connection with his altruistic project.
 Lowell received ten distributions from the 1917 income tax, the first year that it was effective. They amounted to \$167,732.22. In 1919 there were nine distributions, totalling \$113,467.67. To date, five distributions of the 1919 tax have been received, totalling \$133,476.40. The state authorities estimated that Lowell's share of the 1920 distribution would be \$113,777.62, and that figure was used by the assessors in making up the tax levy, but the receipts have already exceeded that amount.

LOWELL'S SHARE OF THE INCOME TAX

The board of assessors received notification today that Lowell's share of the fourth distribution of the state income tax for 1920 will amount to \$10,560, bringing the total received in the four distributions thus far de-

BALMY EASTER WEEK BRINGS EARLY FASHION PARADE ON FIFTH AVENUE



Fifth Avenue's spring fashion parade came early this year. The balmy weather of Easter week was too much for the New Yorkers. Hundreds of them couldn't wait until Easter Sunday to display their new togs. Henry Van Wert, wearing formal street costume, was snapped with Miss Helena Martin. She wore a black satin, trimmed in crepe, and a long tassel gathered in by a loose belt. The two summery girls in the center are Miss Grace Corbett (left), attired in blue and red printed chiffon, and Miss Edna Morton, in pale green chiffon over green tulle. Miss Ethel Burns (right), kowled in a new directoire suit of blue, affects the long cane so popular in Paris.



Miss Theresa Hill was snapped on Fifth Avenue wearing a new costume of navy blue serge, embroidered in white and silver, and a French hat trimmed with blue and black ribbon.



Soft gowns predominate in the Fifth Avenue fashion parade this spring. The camera caught Miss Marlon Burke (left), attired in a charming dress of white Canton crepe and dotted blue chiffon, and Miss Georgia Asquith, in a two-tone henna gown of Canton crepe.

NEW ATLAS OF THE WORLD

"The Peoples' Atlas" Shows Changes Wrought By the World War

The Sun has arranged for the sale of an atlas containing ten maps of large size, showing the new geographical face of the world as produced by the war. The Sun will be in a position to sell the atlas at a much reduced rate and Lowell people should take advantage of this opportunity to secure maps that are thoroughly up to date.

Besides showing in minute detail the changes wrought in all parts of the globe by the world conflict, this work provides invaluable data on the populations of every country. The labors of expert cartographers, who have gathered statistics from every nation, and have consulted the most recent changes in boundaries, went into this atlas, which is up-to-the-minute, exhaustive, and clear. Staunchly bound in an illuminated cover, it holds maps on which cities, states, and other political points are plainly indicated. Natural features are also shown, the courses of rivers, and the outlines of lakes and other bodies of water being firmly and unmistakably engraved. "The Peoples' Atlas" is the title of one volume, which is also called "the world remapped." It contains the latest census of the United States (1920);

the world, as shown on the scientific Mercator projections; North America; a railroad map of the United States and Canada; South America; Europe, with boundaries shown to conform to peace conference decisions; a historical map of the western front; Asia; Australia; Africa; and a compilation of populations, areas, and capitals of all the countries in the world. The sources of information from which the material used is taken include the most authentic in existence. Results of official investigations have been employed wherever feasible. The United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, our Lake Survey, our Geological Survey, and the Ordnance Survey of England are among the agencies from which the maps and compilations have been constructed.

Realizing that most of the geographies of today are hopelessly behind our rapidly moving times, and that they fail to give an insight into the results of the greatest economic struggle in history, The Sun has arranged to distribute this remarkable production of the map-makers' art among the people of this city. In no other way save through the medium of this newspaper will it be possible for the citizens of Lowell to obtain here this work which places all prior atlases far in the background. "The Peoples' Atlas" is now on sale at The Sun office in Merrimack square, and the price is fifty-nine cents only, plus a coupon clipped from the paper.

Remember to clip the coupon which you will find in The Sun, and to bring it to the office. You need this atlas. Geography today is no longer merely a study for school children; it is a live, vital subject for everyone. The columns of the press are filled with complicated problems which cannot possibly be understood without the aid of reference guides. "The Peoples' Atlas" provides such a guide. The latest map most thorough which can be procured at any price. Political, social, and business life calls for a knowledge of geography, and this can be obtained in compressed but easily understood form through the atlas which The Sun is offering its readers at a great reduction from the stipulated retail price.

Quarter Century Ago

Quarter of a century ago Carroll D. Wright was the leading statistician of the country. The following article from the old Sun relative to the average wage paid here for 40 years prior to 1890 will be of interest:

Last week Mr. Wright in a lecture in New York presented an estimate of wages in the United States since 1850. The average yearly wage of factory hands is as follows, reduced to a gold basis:

Year	Average
1850	\$247.31
1860	252.94
1870	302.05
1880	345.91
1890	445.53

Mr. Wright showed that wages rise regularly as the national wealth increases under a law that has practically nothing to do with high or low production.

"According to the figures collected by the census takers, Mr. Wright showed that an ordinary New England family receiving an income of \$800 per year, expended 56 per cent. for sustenance, 15 per cent. for clothing, 17 per cent. for rent and the balance for fuel, sundry expenses, etc. These figures have been borne out by independent investigation in various parts of the country.

"Wages depend upon enterprise and enterprise is constant when not disturbed by too much legislative tinkering. Wages are rising steadily in this country and will continue to go up if only law-makers will let enterprise reasonably alone."

Never in the history of this country have wages been so high as during the recent war period.

The Passion Play

Says the old Sun:

"A large audience enjoyed the lecture on the Passion Play at St. Peter's church, last evening, by the Rev. A. F. Connolly of Boston.

"The account of the sacred play at Oberammergau was graphic and was made still more so by over a hundred stereoscopic views of the theatrical characters and scenery in the drama.

"The trial of Christ, the scenes before Pilate and Herod, the decision to crucify Him, the scourging at the pillar, the carrying of the cross to Calvary and the crucifixion and the carrying of Christ and his mother together

with the resurrection were all dealt with in a masterly manner, the pictures being very striking."

The Silent Society Drama

Seldom has Lowell had a sufficient number of deaf mutes to present a drama or give an entertainment. Twenty-five years ago, however, there was a silent society here which conducted entertainments for its members as the following from the old Sun indicates:

"It was a very appreciative and in their way, quite a demonstrative gathering that assembled in Highland hall, last evening, and enjoyed the entertainment and supper given by the Lowell Silent society. The entertainment was a one act play entitled 'Sweetheart' in which the characters were assumed by Joseph O'Neill, Sophia Sweet, Joseph Lampron, Martha French, Ellen Gay, and Mrs. E. Estabrook. The applause was given, by raising the hands above the heads in the audience and shaking them in players."

Foresters of America

The following item of 25 years ago will interest local Foresters.

"The first semi-annual report of the Supreme court of Foresters of America has just been issued. In his address Supreme Chief Ranger Lawrence Smith of Lowell furnishes some interesting data. He says that the annual returns show the number of courts, Jan. 1, 1895, to be 1180, an increase of 52 for the year. The membership of the order Jan. 1, 1895, was 120,715 an increase during the year of 7870.

"The financial standing of the order is as follows: Funeral benefits paid from grand court fund, \$58,426.74; funeral benefits paid by subordinate courts, \$90,781.75; sick benefits paid by subordinate courts, \$160,722.63; paid from benevolent fund, \$44,495.43; total amount paid for funeral, sick and benevolent, \$660,499.59; paid for management, expenses, \$292,255.35; balance in court funds Jan. 1st, 1895, \$815,531.59; net increase in the funds, \$21,299.31.

THE OLD TIMER.

HOLY SATURDAY IN CATHOLIC CHURCHES

Holy Saturday was observed by Lowell Catholics today with the customary ceremonies, including one mass this morning in each church, the lighting of the paschal candle and the blessing and distribution of holy water. Tenebrae services will be held in many of the churches this evening.

Tomorrow, Easter Sunday, will bring forth the usual elaborate programs in all the churches. The altars will be banked with flowers, the purple, significant of mourning, which has been in evidence on the altars for the past several weeks, will be removed, and special musical programs will be carried out, all symbolic of the spirit of the resurrection.

In the evening vespers services will be held and again special musical programs will be given.

It was announced in some of the churches last Sunday that in the event of there being no change in the old daylight saving law before tomorrow, the old law would be effective, then and that all the masses would be according to daylight-saving time. However, the modified daylight saving law, which stipulates that daylight saving shall not begin until the last Sunday in April, was signed by Governor Cox this week and, consequently, the old time will be effective tomorrow.

Tenebrae services held in the various churches last evening were very largely attended and fervent sermons on "The Passion" were delivered. In addition to the sermon, the service included the chanting of matins and lauds by the priests and sanctuary choirs, and veneration of the relic of the true cross by the congregation.

AGENT MITCHELL SICK

Agent William Mitchell of the Massachusetts mills is sick. He has a light attack of the grip and is staying indoors at his home for a day or two. It is stated that the illness is not in any way regarded as serious.

No vessel of any nationality may enter a United States port or come within the three-mile limit bearing intoxicating liquor in transit without being liable to seizure under the Volstead act, according to the department of justice.

A workman in a Utah mining camp threw a bucket of water upon a snuffing electric wire. The electricity "played back" over the stream to the bucket in the man's hands, causing his instantaneous death.

BOSTON READY TO GREET

MAYOR O'CALLAGHAN

BOSTON, March 26.—Plans for welcoming Lord Mayor O'Callaghan of Cork, Ire., when he comes to Boston tomorrow, will be completed tonight at meetings of the various councils of the American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic, the members of which are in charge of the parade and mass meetings tomorrow afternoon on the common and at Mechanics building in honor of his visit here. Lord Mayor O'Callaghan will spend today in Springfield.

Under the auspices of Paul Revere council, A.A.R.I.R., a meeting will be held at Deacon hall, 1651 Washington street, South End, tonight, to which all ex-service men who participated in the Macswiney parade and all others who wish to march in honor of Mayor O'Callaghan are invited.

The council is composed exclusively of ex-service men and marching as the De Valera Guards will tomorrow have the right of line. Immediately behind them will walk the gold star parents of boys who died in the world war.

There will be a meeting at the state headquarters of the A.A.R.I.R. at the American house this evening of the general women's committee in charge of the arrangements on the common and at Mechanics building.

Lowell People to Attend

Although no organized effort has been made to have a large crowd from

Lowell in the parade, it is understood that quite a number of members of the A.A.R.I.R. will go down in time for the parade preceding the meetings at which Lord Mayor O'Callaghan will speak.

LOCAL MILL OUTLOOK

Mill Men Do Not See Any

Immediate Improvement in

Sight

"Don't paint the future in too rosy colors," said one of the leading mill agents of Lowell to a representative of The Sun today in discussing the outlook for the immediate future in the textile industry of the city.

A feeling of pessimism undoubtedly prevails among those who are most intimately associated with the management of the mills, although it may not be justified. One bright spot in the situation is that the Massachusetts mills will continue on full time indefinitely.

The success of the Massachusetts in keeping in operation on full schedule is said to be that there is a special demand for the goods manufactured by the mills. People who formerly bought high-priced goods are said to be economizing by purchasing ginghams and chambrays. The mills have also considerably reduced their prices, and an

unusually attractive line of goods is being turned out.

Hope Something Will Turn Up

Most of the other mill managements are in a position where they are hopeful that something will turn up to improve the situation, but they admit that there is little in sight at the present moment.

Some of the mills may possibly close for short periods during the summer. It is said that about the last thing the managements desire to do, if it can possibly be avoided, is to close up any of the mills in all departments. One reason for this is, that when a mill is closed the working personnel is quickly disintegrated and it is usually found difficult to reassemble it again. Another reason is that an idle mill is an expensive proposition for the operation deteriorates and requires more care.

The only answer to the question why the mills are forced to curtail is that no orders are coming in of in sight. Some of the mills are running to fill up their storehouses while others keep in operation from day to day manufacturing partly for storage and to fill an occasional special demand for goods. The Hamilton mills will run on its present schedule of three days a week, with about 50 per cent. of its help employed for another week. After that, the course will depend upon circumstances. In some quarters there is confidence of a marked improvement after congress convenes on April 11.

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| | Oh, for the Wings of a Dove | Marsh |
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EASTER

Again after another penitential season, comes the celebration of an event that stands out the most joyous of all in the Christian calendar—the resurrection of Christ.

Had not the Savior made good his promise that he would rise again on the third day, all His miracles and His teachings would have been scoffed at as impossibilities. The fact, however, is well attested and it has had its influence upon the world ever since and will so continue to the end of time for He has said: "Heaven and earth shall pass away but my word shall not pass away."

The resurrection of Christ is a pledge and promise of man's resurrection, the victory of the spirit over death and of the life immortal.

With the upheaval in world affairs caused by the recent war, most people have come to a greater realization of their dependence upon God; and hence, there has been a revival of religion as the bulwark of society, the foundation of modern civilization, the anchor of love and hope and the inspiration to the performance of benevolent works that can have their reward only in heaven. Therefore, cometh Easter with its message of solemn joy. With the voice of spring the earth cries out in harmonious accord. Winter is not the perpetual grave of the seed that was buried deep beneath the snows, nor is death the end of the fleeting soul that leaves its earthly abode to enter the life eternal. Let all rejoice that Christ is risen!

HELPING LOWELL ONWARD

In its action relative to the municipal budget, the chamber of commerce undoubtedly helped to get the estimates cut down and the taxes thereby reduced. Thus it served all the people in helping to keep the tax rate as low as possible.

If the chamber would continue its interest in municipal government, working for economy and efficiency, it might eventually succeed in securing for Lowell what the citizens as a whole desire—good government. While the main work of the chamber naturally will be to aid the merchants and industries already established, it can exert a strong influence in raising new industries to locate here. Lowell needs new industries, particularly an automobile factory that would employ many hands.

At the present time there are many municipal problems awaiting solution, among the more pressing being the adoption of the new charter, street improvements including the construction of the first street boulevard and stationing the need of a public parking place for autos near Merrimack square, and the relief of unemployment. There is here enough to engage the activities of the chamber for many months and enough on which to render invaluable service to the city in helping to solve various economic and industrial problems now affecting our city.

The time has arrived when all the agencies that can influence public opinion or improve political and industrial conditions, must co-operate to make Lowell a busier, bigger and better city. In the onward march of municipal progress, The Sun as usual will stand in the foremost rank, ready to point out what is going wrong and to offer light and leading on public questions.

COST OF TAX COLLECTION

Roger W. Babson, the well known statistician, makes the startling statement that the slump in business for March has been due to the system of taxation. He claims that the time and energy which 5,000,000 people gave to making up the tax returns resulted in a loss of about \$1,000,000,000 in sales, half that amount in manufacturing and half in other lines; totalling two billion dollars' worth of business lost without taking into account the time of bookkeepers, accountants, tax officials, collectors and inspectors.

Thus it would appear that while collecting four billion dollars in revenue for the government, we lost half that sum through neglect of business and misdirected effort. Thus another charge is added to the indictment of our present tax system as a serious block to industrial progress that should be removed as soon as possible.

It had already been condemned as a tax upon production, a discouragement to enterprise and an unjust system that should have been modified directly after the close of the war.

There is probably no other single cause, not even the falling prices, more detrimental to the recovery of business prosperity than the system of taxation that has come down from the war and which in many respects is additionally unfair and calculated to check industrial enterprise and progress. Yet the republican party is apparently in no hurry to modify its obnoxious features.

ESSEX COUNTY HOSPITAL

Next month Essex county is to open a million dollar tuberculosis hospital with a capacity of 100 beds and floor space to accommodate 350 in an emergency.

It is 755 feet long, 26 feet deep, with eight projecting verandas and eight sun parlors. It will have every equipment for the proper treatment of tuberculosis patients including varied amusements and outdoor attractions. The county commissioners say they will charge all patients \$5.50 each and the expense of those who cannot pay will be charged to their respective home towns. Of this amount the state will pay half.

That method of treating tuberculosis patients is much preferable to ours, not only on the ground of economy, but in the facilities for ideal treatment. This is one point in which Essex county, though less populous, is ahead of Middlesex.

NOT BOLSHEVISTS

Red men in Bolivia, black men in Congo Free State, yellow men in Korea are all in revolt against the constituted government that is over them—another indication of the spread of Bolshevistic ideas into all parts of the world.—Courier-Citizen.

Oh, no, neighbor, revolt against unjust government is not a proof of Bolshevistic principles but of a love of liberty. As for the red men in Bolivia or the black men in the Congo, we know not their grievance which may conceivably be intolerable; but we do know that the Koreans are fighting against alien rule imposed without their consent and upheld by military force. People who are amply fit to govern themselves have a right to autonomy and are justified in fighting against alien rule, however mild or humane. Had this right been denied, the American colonies could never have achieved their freedom.

KILL THIS BILL

House bill 392 provides for the appointment of a commission on citizenship and the enrollment of all boys in the state between the ages of sixteen and eighteen years to be instructed at least three hours per week in citizenship. Such a measure would be a serious interference with the work of the elementary schools and for that reason alone, it should be defeated. There are other bills providing for compulsory physical training for consideration showing that there is much interest in this general subject, perhaps altogether too much; but the work of the schools should not be broken up by any such innovation. There are already too many commissions to deal with educational and other subjects. This bill should be killed.

GOOD TIME TO SAVE

As the purchasing power of the dollar is steadily increasing, there is a special inducement to save for those who look ahead. A dollar will buy twice as much wheat today as during the high price period of the war. The same is true of many other commodities. With this movement in progress, it is not impossible that when prices have reached the lowest level, a dollar will buy fully as much as \$1.50 buys at the present time. That alone should be an incentive to thrift. It puts a premium on saving.

THE SILESIAN CONFLICT

Germany is reported to have won Silesia on the plebiscite; but the supreme council of the allied powers is said to contemplate dividing it up with Poland. It is alleged that the plebiscite was merely informal, anyhow. That is not what was given out originally. The result seems to have been a disappointment to the allies, or at least to be different from what they expected. It offers another cause of conflict.

The territory in question is rich in mineral wealth and the country that controls it will enjoy a bonanza.

Our esteemed contemporary across the pond, the London Times, for referring to the chamber of commerce as the "board of trade." The error was an unfortunate one. We congratulate our E. C. nevertheless on its wisdom in watching our columns so carefully.

A southern school committee has decided that teachers who attend dances must lose their jobs. Unless the town has a more patient and long-suffering lot of schoolmums than some we know, that committee is almost certain to hear something drop before long.

The city library doesn't give better service because it doesn't have the cash to pay for it, and it doesn't give better service. That seems a reasonable explanation.

Perhaps one of the reasons why the times seem so out of joint is that we have not begun to realize that the prediction may be coming true that the world war would be followed by a great change in social conditions.

When as much time and energy as are devoted to finding reasons why it can't be done are given to trying to discover why it can be done, there will be a better prospect of a five-cent car fare.

"Have you managed somehow to find a little time for golf?" asks the Boston Globe. If it is propounding the question to newspapermen, it ought to know that the answer is "No."

Mr. Lansing's book seems to reveal that one of the reasons he broke with Mr. Wilson was that the president objected to having the secretary of state as a boss.

"A rose by any other name would smell as sweet," says a doctor. That, of course, is the reason why the young women wear them.

When the Easter bonnets are paid for, the average family man has to conclude that his own old lid will have to do a while longer.

"All our troubles come from wrong thoughts," says an advertisement. Now tell us where the wrong thoughts come from and the problem will be solved.

Is President Harding establishing a precedent in letting Debs walk freely out of jail on his promise to walk back in again?

We used to buy seed and fertilizer for our gardens. Now the principal outlet is for insecticide.

SEEN AND HEARD

Thought I was an optimist till I read that optimists saved their beer-bottle openers.

The American farmer is down and out—down at sunrise and out in the fields.

When you get blue, have grandpa tell you about 1873. We are lucky and don't know it.

An old Easter tradition is that the sun dances. Maybe. Prior to Doc Voistead, many a man saw the moon dance.

It is only a question of time until all generals have to beat a strategic retreat. This applies to General Depression.

The glorious sunshine of these beautiful spring mornings would be much more appreciated if the windows in some houses weren't so dirty as to almost exclude it.

Tommy Made Answer

Londoners have had time to settle down and get used to their statue of Abraham Lincoln which faces Westminster Abbey. But not so their country cousins. Provocative still stand around in groups, criticising it from every angle. A canny Scot thus engaged turned suddenly to one of the American sailors who are at present star-gazing London and asked: "Foot, inn, what's the chair there for?"

Ruining a War

It was a perfect French night. In other words, the rain was coming down steadily and the mud was at its stickiest. In "squad" formation—two, three, five and sixes—a regiment of Buffaloes was moving into an alleged rest camp. The accent was on the camp.

The most forlorn of all the forlorn crew staggered against a barracks doorway, where he was accosted by a white noncom:

"Well, Sam, whaddye think of this war now? Pretty good war?"

With a facial expression that said he meant it, Sam replied:

"Boss, dis yer war never was a good war—and dis last day, practically done, it's ruined it completely."—American Legion Weekly.

Some Walter

Jacob of old waited 14 years for his beloved Rachel. But his patience is dwarfed into insignificance by that of a plain American bachelor who waited 15 years for the girl he loved. J. C. Gibbs, 65, of Council Bluffs, Ia., is soon to claim his bride, Myrtle Sanderson, 61, who at the birth of her father has spent the most of her life as a missionary in India. Now that her father is dead, she has sailed for home and will wed the man who has waited for her nearly a half century.

During the 45 years, Gibbs has made many trips to India to visit his sweetheart, always returning to his Iowa farm to resume his patient waiting. True love never dies. It survives all delays, surmounts all barriers, suffers any sacrifice and emerges from every ordeal stronger and more confident than before.

After Rain

The sky is bright, like a scrubbed blue floor;

And the air is washed till it's sweet once more;

The grass and the trees, that showed neglect,

And the flower bed by the winter wrecked,

Are changed, and chipper with self-respect.

The paving stones all the way down street

Shine under the passing horses' feet;

And the sidewalk respectable seem to be,

As not ashamed of the human eye.

And almost proud to smile at the sky.

And talkative women are stretching lines

For their new-washed clothes; and

Veranda vines

Are being trimmed up by whistling men.

And the children are loud at play again;

While there on the veranda sits Jenny Wren.

Everyone moves in a lively style;

Even a stranger receives a smile;

And floors are open, and windows wide,

And you smell the dinner cooking inside;

And you know that you couldn't feel sad if you tried.

—ALFRED ARNOLD.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

When Madam Woman enters the political and industrial fields in a little more impressive manner than she has to date, will she be susceptible to the same influences which have over men who hold high positions in these two fields at the present time? Will she be forced to "play the game" as many men are forced to play it if they are to compete with their unscrupulous contemporaries? A group of us were discussing the subject the other day.

And there was some division of opinion on the matter. We were all agreed that it was difficult to tell just what women will do until they are put in the same circumstances as men now are. But some of us thought that woman's traditional high moral qualities and strong conscience would prevent her from accepting the same "game" as the other sex.

That she is sometimes charged to our industrial and political leaders. On the other hand, it was pointed out that any woman who rose high enough to become a leader in either politics or industry would necessarily become somewhat hardened and less sentimental than the ordinary member of her sex and that she would be willing to play the game as we say her male competitors playing it. If a woman by chance should become the head of a large construction concern and should find that in order to obtain a very desirable contract the most steep to methods that would bear the light of day, would she do so or would she be willing to risk the success of her corporation on the principle of righteousness?

It would depend on the individual, somebody said, but that reply excited the large group.

We were trying to find out what the average woman placed in that position would do. Our little group wasn't able to settle the question definitely, but in our discussion we brought out many interesting opinions and confessions. Incidentally, this group was not a wholly unscrupulous gathering.

The other sex is so used to the fact that women play the game that they have no qualms about it. It is in her convictions that she the next time you meet a group of friends, bring up the matter and see how eagerly, earnestly and learnedly it will be discussed.

A project to transport coal from the anthracite region of Pennsylvania into the city of Lowell, through two 14-inch pipes by water pressure has been suggested by a local engineer. Pumping stations would be installed along the line to furnish power.

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CHILDREN WRITES FROM CANAL ZONE

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Mass in B Flat Minor.....Hamma Kyrie.

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Quoniam, Choir. Gradual, Haec Dies.....Gregorian Credo.

Choir. Solo, Deum Deo.....Mr. Fred Vanner. Et Resurrexit.

Choir. Offertory, Regina Coeli.....Cherubini Quartet. Miss Blanche Larue, Miss Rose Lussier, Mr. Alberic Ducharme, Mr. Fred Vanner and choir.

Sanctus. Choir. Trio, Agnus Dei. Misses Stella Latour, Blanche Larue, Misses Stella Latour, Blanche Larue, Misericordia Nobis.

Choir. Communion, Pascha Nostrum. Gregorian Organ, Recessional, Grand March.

Choir. Mr. Theodore Malt, director, Miss Lena B. Canine, organist.

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Solemn High Mass at 11 a. m. Processional, Organ.

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Gloria.....Gounod's Mass in C. Offertory, Haec Dies.....Gregorian Sanctus.....Gounod's Mass in C.

Agnus Dei.....Gounod's Mass in C. Recessional, organ. Solemn Vespers at 6.30 p. m.

Psalm, Ave Maria. Ave Maria. Ave Maria.

Choir. Organist and director, Joseph Paradis; Assistant director, J. E. Nole.

ST. ANNE'S CHURCH

Holy Communion Service, 7.30 a. m. Guild of St. Cecilia.

Preconational, Come Ye Faithful Introit, O the Golden Glowing Morn Kyrie.

Offertory, Awake Thou That Sleepest, Gloria Tibi. Maker.

Sanctus. Communion Hymn, Word of God Incarnate. Gounod Gloria in Excelsis. Stainer.

Recessional, O the Golden Glowing Morn. Choral et Fugue.....Gullman.

EASTER CAROL SERVICE, 6 p. m. The three choirs will sing—100 voices. Mrs. Bertha Knight Johnson, violinist; William Heller, organist and choirmaster.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Services, 10.30 a. m. Processional Hymn, "Jesus Christ is Risen Today." Choral.

Canticle, "Christ Our Passover is Sacrificed For Us." Crotch.

Gloria Patri.....Barby. Te Deum in B Minor.....Dudley Buck. Jubilatio Deo in C.....Dudley Buck.

Introit Hymn, Alleluia: The Strife is Over. Kyrie.....Palestrina.

Gloria Tibi.....Eyre. Hymn "At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing." Elroy.

Offertory Anthem, "Jesus Lives! Alleluia." Elroy.

Sanctus. Communion Hymn, "Shepherd of Souls Refresh and Bless." Dykes.

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Discover Secret of Zeppelin Framework PHILADELPHIA, March 26.—Scientists in a Pittsburgh steel mill have discovered the secret of the construction of frameworks of German Zeppelins, it is announced at the Philadelphia navy yard. The discovery is expected to make possible the speeding up of work upon the giant dirigible under construction at the local navy yard. Hitherto it is said at the navy yard nothing has been known of the composition of the aluminum alloy used in the framework of Zeppelins save that it was lighter than steel and of a great tensile strength. Careful experiments both in the United States and England have been made ever since the first Zeppelin was shot down and its framework analyzed. It was determined that the strength of the metal lay in its treatment by heat and scores of attempts were made to determine the proper temperature.

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Figures compiled by the New England fuel administration and the Massachusetts fuel administration show that in round figures the consumption of bituminous coal in Massachusetts amounted in 1919 to ten million, hundred and twenty thousand tons. Supposing this coal cost at an average of \$5 a ton, a most conservative figure, the amount consumed annually in Massachusetts amounted to \$50,000,000. The fuel administration, roughly, 6,000,000 tons. This is burned chiefly in the homes and much of it paid for by the poor, at great personal sacrifice. It represents an expenditure in the neighborhood of \$20,000,000 of the people's money. The greater part of which the tide motor, once in operation, would save them. It would combine the money spent in Massachusetts for both bituminous and anthracite coal we would reach the startling figure of \$75,000,000. Therefore, the outside estimate of the cost of construction of the Knowlton Hydraulic Air Motor should save the people of Massachusetts around \$75,000,000 the first year, figuring low on anything like its present cost basis.

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Continue Search for Missing Balloonists

PENSACOLA, Fla., March 26.—Though discouraged by the failure of their two days' search to reveal any trace of the missing craft, naval officers today had not given up hope of finding the naval balloon with its five occupants which left the air station here late Tuesday. Airplanes, dirigibles, eagle boats and sub chasers continued to scour the air and coast in the vicinity of the place the balloon was last reported.

Flyer in Hospital Battles for Life

NATCHEZ, Miss., March 26.—With his back broken and his body paralyzed from the chest down, Lieut. W. D. Coney, transcontinental flyer, whose airplane crashed near Crowley, La., yesterday, while he was attempting a flight from Jacksonville, Fla., to San Diego, Cal., today was battling for his life in a Natchez hospital. Physicians said he had about one chance in 10 of recovery but the flyer himself remained cheerful and expressed the hope he would yet be able to make the flight.

Irvin S. Cobb Renominated

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 26.—Irvin S. Cobb, who was a colonel on the staff of Governor Stanley has been renominated for a commission at his former rank by Governor Morrow.

Rear Admiral Kindleberger Dead

NEW YORK, March 26.—Rear Admiral David Kindleberger, medical director, United States navy retired, died at his home here yesterday. He was 56 years old.

Send Japanese Warships to Kamcharka

TOKIO, March 25.—(By Associated Press)—Japan is understood to have decided to dispatch a battleship and four destroyers to Kamcharka for the purpose of protecting Japanese fishing enterprises there. It is said this action was taken following reports that the Far Eastern republic had asked part of the peninsula of Kamcharka to the soviet government of Moscow.

Vice Admiral Ichida, Japanese foreign minister, declared in the house of peers at Tokio on Tuesday that Japan would be obliged to adopt whatever action might be necessary to preserve her rights in Kamcharka. He said the Japanese government had protested against the cession of a part of Kamcharka to the soviet government and had made five demands relative to territory there, but the Far Eastern republic, the seat of whose government is at Chita, had not answered.

Successes for Greeks Announced

ATHENS, March 26.—Successes against the Turkish nationalists in Asia Minor continue on the Ushak and Brusa fronts, says an official statement issued here. The Greeks, it is declared, are not encountering much resistance in their advance toward Eski-Shehr. "On Thursday," says the statement, "the Greeks continued to advance in the Ushak sector. The enemy, who feebly resisted, was driven back from a fortified ridge between Agar and Bonnar to a line about 30 miles east of Ushak. Two hundred of the enemy were taken prisoners. In the Brusa sector, the enemy was driven from positions east of the city and the Greeks occupied a line running through the villages of Giennench, Veresi and Dilejak, about six miles from the town. The Greek losses have been insignificant."

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"Wisest Dog" Sent to College To Test Animal's Brain Power



READY FOR HER LESSON

Wuzel, two year old walf dog attending the animal psychology class at the University of California, is here shown in characteristic attitude, waiting for instructions. Inset pictures Wuzel with her master, Louis Penn. Scientists seeking proof that dogs can reason, place Wuzel's performances on the highest plane of animal intelligence.

BERKELEY, Cal., March 26—Wuzel, a brindle walf of the streets, rescued from the pound, has become the first four-footed collegian. She is attending the University of California to demonstrate whether or not a dog can reason.

Gained Six Pounds In Fourteen Days

When you are ill and losing weight, falling in strength and growing pale and sallow day by day it is an indication that you need more blood.

Whatever the cause there can be no relief until the blood is built up so that it will carry renewed life and strength to every part of the body.

A remedy that arrests the decline in health and strength, that begins to restore the weakened muscles and strengthen the nerves demonstrates at once to the patient himself that the anemia is being overcome and that rich, red blood is now helping him to fight off rheumatism, sciatica, lumbago and a number of other diseases to which the victim of thin blood is liable.

E. S. Southwick, an employee of the public library at Woonsocket, R. I., had an experience that will help many others. "I was ill for several years," he says, "not confined to bed, but so that I could not hobble around. My blood was thin, I was troubled with rheumatism and suffered a great deal with lumbago. One day I read in the newspaper about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and got a box from my drugist. I had taken them but a short time when I saw that they were helping me. I gained six pounds in two weeks, my appetite became good once more and I could not say too much in favor of this blood-building remedy."

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Nothing more is needed except sun light, good air, proper food and rest. If you do not know exactly what rules to follow in these matters write today to Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for booklets on the blood and diet. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills—Ady.

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Keep the children in good health. It is the greatest blessing that can come to them. Most of their ailments start with irregularities of the stomach and bowels. Overeating or eating improper food, also failure to establish the vital important habit of a daily movement of the bowels, are causes of much serious illness during the growing years. Properly working in the stomach or intestine are indicated by a favorable condition, restlessness, nervousness, biting the nails, clogging, pains, and nausea. The safe, sure remedy is "L. F." Atwood's Medicine, used by Maine mothers for more than a half century. Buy it now and have it ready for family illness. It cents at your dealers. Satisfaction guaranteed. "L. F." Medicine Co., Portland, Maine.

TWELVE PRIMARY RULES IN DOG TRAINING BY LOUIS PENN. Animal Psychologist and Owner of Wuzel

- 1.—Starting training your pup as soon as he's able to walk.
- 2.—Teach him to stay away from food until permitted to eat, using a little switch if necessary, and repeating the command over and over until thoroughly understood.
- 3.—Never whip a dog to make him do anything; whip only to prevent something, if words fail.
- 4.—In the beginning always give a reward of food—little bits—when a command is obeyed.
- 5.—Never give up once you've started on a trick; patience and persistence are essential.
- 6.—Keep your voice low, steady, authoritative. A dog's mind will reflect your own, and he needs every assistance to understand your desire.
- 7.—If a pup won't come to you, confine him, then call and let him yelp a while. This will soon teach him to come when called.
- 8.—Act the trick with the dog. Roll him, turn him, show him how, while repeating the command slowly, clearly, simply—repeating the action words.
- 9.—To have an intelligent dog you must talk to him a great deal, as you would to a child.
- 10.—When the dog obeys, look your pleasure; when he disobeys, your displeasure.
- 11.—Never lie to a dog, by look or action. If you call him for punishment let him know what's in store.
- 12.—Above all, be patient. If a dog can't think, it's absurd to get impatient; if he can, sooner or later he'll understand what you want.

Successful dog training calls for a lot of self-training on the part of the human who undertakes it.

climbed closer to the plane of human intelligence than any other animal ever placed under observation.

At the age of two she has graduated from the accomplishments of the trick dog into the high-brow realm of "delayed reaction" and other complex brain power tests.

Brain Tests
Two days a week in the laboratory here where human and animal behavior is compared, this "wisest dog in America" performs for Louis Penn, her owner and advanced student, and for Dr. J. C. Tolman, eminent animal psychologist who is directing the experiments.

Wuzel's examination papers record a surprising accuracy in fetching a designated hat, ball or paper, after a considerable lapse of time between the word of command and its performance. It is as if you were to say to a child, "Bring me the ball from the other room," and then, after distracting his attention for a minute, asking him, "Now what did I tell you to bring?" If the child got the ball, having to select it from other objects, he would be doing what Wuzel, the dog, has done convincingly in thousands of repeated tests.

Hitchhike Dog
This is known to the scientific sharp as "delayed reaction," which simply means that the dog seems to be close to the threshold of reason.

"If I can demonstrate beyond doubt that dogs are capable of this," explained Penn, "I shall have greatly widened the field of animal psychology and have proved, at least, that dogs are more capable than they have heretofore been credited by science."

"I am not yet ready to say positively that dogs do hold images or think, but I do say that a dog acts just like a human being when he has images, memory or thoughts."

Found in Pound
Wuzel, a brindle puppy of the best dog stock, was rescued from the pound on the 22d, and cost \$15. Today Penn values her at \$100.

Her common-sense training consisted of "breaking" telling over, retrieving, objects named, closing doors with her paws, performing stunts within a radius of several blocks, playing dead at the sound of "bang" and recovering at once, barking steadily over the phone, barking until relieved, sitting and standing about objects until fed, and refusing to take food until in-



VESUVIUS ERUPTING

This remarkable photograph of Mount Vesuvius was taken by an American photographer from the top of a nearby mountain. For weeks the rumbling giant has been belching forth smoke, flames and lava.

CAN YOUR DOG REASON?

How does your pet compare with the "Wisest Dog in America?" Can he think, hold images, associate ideas?

Most folks believe they know of an instance where an animal has shown reasoning power.

This evidence may or may not be conclusive so far as science is concerned.

Get a book on psychology; find out what mental processes are involved in thinking. Then if you still believe he can reason, write the story of what your dog did and send it to The Sun for publication. Every owner of animals will be interested.

structed—all as preparation for the high-brow course at the university.

In addition to her school work and home duties, Wuzel is bringing up her first litter of pups, and still finds plenty of time to gossip with other less distinguished canines of the neighborhood.

Wuzel will take her college degree at the age when human youngsters are just beginning to mumble their first words.

MARKED INCREASE IN MORTALITY

There was a marked increase in mortality in Lowell this week, according to the report of the board of health issued today. A total of 45 deaths were reported as against 34 last week and 32 the week before. The rates for the three weeks were 22.31, 15.63 and 14.76, respectively.

There was a big decline in the number of cases of measles reported, only 13 being recorded this week as against 16 last week. One death was due to encephalitis lethargica, or sleeping sickness, the second to occur this year from that disease.

Infectious diseases caused two deaths, pneumonia three, bronchitis three, diphtheria one and tuberculosis one. Infectious diseases reported were as follows: Diphtheria, 10; measles, 13, and tuberculosis, three.

There were 15 deaths of children less than five years old and ten of these were less than a year old.

TOO ILL TO WORK

A Mother Tells How Her Daughter Was Made Well Again by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Philadelphia, Pa.—"At the age of sixteen my daughter was having trouble every month. She had had pains across her back and in her sides, her back would pain her so that she could not do her work and would have to lie down. My married daughter recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. She took it faithfully and is now regular and has no pain. We recommend the Vegetable Compound and give you permission to publish this letter."—Mrs. KATIE EICHER, 4031 N. Fairhill St., Philadelphia, Pa.

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It was about three months ago I chanced to read an ad. of 'Fruit-a-tives' about a person being cured of Weeping Eczema by using this remedy and 'Sootha Salva'. I bought both and in about a week, noticed an improvement. I have now used two boxes of 'Fruit-a-tives' and one of 'Sootha Salva' and am entirely free of Eczema. My flesh is clear and smooth and I am that gratified with the result that I cannot proclaim too loudly the merits of these remedies."

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Both remedies are sold at 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50. At all dealers or sent postpaid by FRUIT-A-TIVES Limited, GEDENSBURG, N. Y.

MAYOR APPOINTS SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Dr. Harry B. Plunkett has been appointed city physician for private schools to succeed Dr. Harold W. Jewett, resigned. He will begin his duties April 1 at a salary of \$200 per year. Dr. Plunkett will have under his jurisdiction the following schools: St. Michael's, the Greek Orthodox, St. Maria's in South Lowell and Miss Paxson's private school in Nesmith street. Inasmuch as there was no available civil service list of eligibles, Mayor Thompson was authorized to make the appointment, and Dr. Plunkett will be given a non-competitive examination in the near future.

Senator Cummins Talks

Continued
The pre-war level. That is impossible. "Here are some facts that reflect the tremendous increase in railroad operation expenses.

"The cost of maintaining ways and structures during 1920 was \$250,000,000 more than in 1919.

"The equipment bill was \$230,000,000 more in 1920 than in 1919.

"The transportation item—the cost of transportation operations—was \$750,000,000 more in 1920 than in 1919. Approximately \$100,000,000 of this was due to the wage increase, effective from last May.

Federal Orders
"There is difference of opinion as to what accounts for the rest of it. My own judgment is that it is the fruition of the standardization orders promulgated during federal control, and the system of extra pay for overtime.

"I believe that a man who works hard for eight hours has done a pretty good day's work and that for anything over eight hours he should get extra pay.

"But it is absurd to apply this to every man whose time happens to run over eight hours.

"There are thousands of station agents in little towns who don't actually work more than three hours a day. Two or three or four trains pass through the town and the agent is on hand for a little while before and after each train. It is absurd to give him overtime just because his last train at night passes through more than eight hours after the first one.

"But labor is only one of the costs that must come down. I think the railroads can save this year at least \$75,000,000 in coal alone. Most of the roads paid highly extravagant prices for coal last year. They bought on contracts that were extremely excessive. The business judgment of railroad managers in buying coal was exceedingly poor.

Need for Consolidation
"One of the most essential things necessary for efficient railroad management is the consolidation of the roads into 14 or 15 big systems.

The provision for this in the transportation act of 1920 is not mandatory, but merely permissive. I made every effort to have it obligatory, but nobody else seemed to want it.

"The farmers didn't like it because it eliminated competition, but they are seeing things differently now, for they have a very effective plan under way for co-operative marketing that will eliminate competition in the sale of their products.

"The railroad workers don't want consolidation because they are after government ownership.

"The railroad owners don't want consolidation because they are after government ownership.

"The railroad owners don't want it either, because it would abolish a lot of positions held by incompetent men. "But I am going to keep on fighting for it. If it must come, if we are to have efficient, economical operation."

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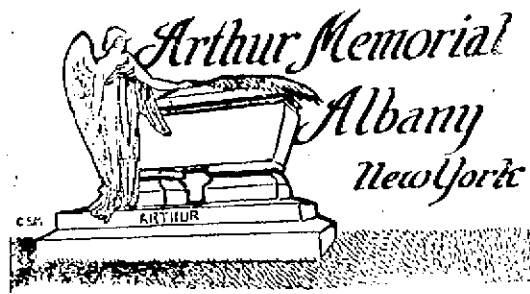


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J. Powell, the optician has his parlors at 912 Gorham street. He is a man of experience and a man who will know your needs in the optical line after the examination. Have Mr. Powell examine your eyes.

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All makes of radiators are being repaired at the Boston Auto Radiator Co., 570 Gorham street. This company also has a large assortment of used radiators for sale at moderate prices. If you are in need of a radiator it will pay you to make a call at the Boston Auto Radiator Co.

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those who try, know. Ask The Sun people, they know. The shop is at 53 Beech street.

MECHANIC PHALANX
Organization composed of Former Members of Company C, 6th Regiment, Plans Active Season

The Lowell Mechanic phalanx met Friday evening at their quarters on Thordike street with President James E. Burns in the chair. Plans were made for an active season at the association's camp in Tyngholm and the camp committee composed of Messrs. Kiltredge, chairman, Ready, Angus, Welch and Wood were instructed to prepare the camp for the "camp" opening on April 15, 17, 18, and a grand finale on Patriots' Day, April 19, when all members are urged to make it a great "get-together" occasion. It is proposed to hold all future meetings of the camp starting on Sunday, April 30 at 10 a. m. and all former members of Company C are urged to attend this meeting if possible as final plans will be made for the formal opening of the camp.

An all-drilling outfit in Nebraska struck gold ore assaying \$35 to the ton.

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R. A. Warnock & Co., general contractors, make a specialty of concrete work and they know their business from A to Z. They have a number of large buildings to their credit in this city and elsewhere. They also undertake contracts for brickwork and carpenter work. Their office is at 157 Appleton street.

Newspapers in China are sold two and three times over. Papers of the previous day's issue are redistributed among the lower class population. They are then distributed again by being sent out to the villages and country districts where they are sold at a fraction of the original cost.

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Real Estate Transactions—Building Notes and Permits Issued

REAL ESTATE SALES

Thomas H. Elliott, real estate and insurance, offices at Central street, corner Prescott, reports the following sales negotiated during the past week:

On behalf of Fred H. Rourke, treasurer of the city of Lowell, conveyance has been effected of the residential property at 72 Walnut street. The house is of two-story type with eight rooms and occupies land to the amount of 3100 square feet. The grantee is Manuel Freitas, who buys for personal occupancy.

Final papers have been sent to record in the transfer of the modern residence at 215 Princeton street. The house has nine rooms and is equipped with every convenience. Land to the amount of 2835 square feet is conveyed in the transaction. The conveyance is negotiated on behalf of Mrs. Eva G. Rollins, the purchaser being Mrs. Inez D. Perron, who buys for a home.

On behalf of Simon Orter conveyance has been made of the residential parcel at 100 C street, at its junction with Puffer. The house is of cottage type with eight rooms and bath. The land involved in the transfer totals 2448 square feet. The grant is to W. M. Moller, who purchases for purposes of occupancy.

Also the sale of the modern residence at 69 Stromquist avenue. The house is of square, colonial design with seven rooms and bath. Land to the amount of 5600 square feet is conveyed in the transfer. The sale is negotiated on behalf of the resident owner, Lizzie L. Spaulding, the grantee being George A. Stilwell who buys for a home.

Sales by E. F. Slattery, Jr.
Edward F. Slattery, Jr., Strand Building, reports the following sales made through his office during the past week:

Final papers have been placed on record in the purchase and sale of the property situated at 132 Norton street, Wiggsville. The property consists of a seven-room cottage house with shed and about 3500 square feet of land. Mr. E. Francis Slattery conveys title to Peter Peterson and Sons, who buy for personal occupancy.

Also the sale of the four-apartment house situated at Nos. 74-76 Varney street. The property, which is of recent construction, consists of four apartments, each apartment having seven rooms, pantry and bath and all modern conveniences. Land to the amount of 6200 square feet is conveyed in the deed. The grantor in this transaction is John W. Watnwright, while the grantee is Martin Murphy, who buys for purpose of investment. This sale was made in conjunction with the office of James Sheehan.

Super range waste is being converted into board for lining building walls.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

LOWELL
Agnes J. Lynde to Mary I. Hutchinson, South Walker st.
Harriet S. Smith Est., by exts., to James T. Smith.
James T. Smith to Elizabeth Smith Austin, Middlesex st.

Vital C. Silva et ux to Harris Cohen, Daly st.
Mittie E. Morse et al to James A. Berton, Ayon st.
Isabel Keefe to Thomas F. Bassett, Commonwealth ave.
Anthon H. Taylor et ux to George T. Randall et ux, Swan ave.
Isabel Keefe to Abraham Plotkin et ux, Chestnut st.
John L. Anderson et ux to Harvey W. Hayes et ux, Dayton st.
James Carroll to Joseph Neldawski, West Union st.
John J. Collins to Joseph A. Sullivan, A. st.

John A. McAdams et ux to F. Clarence L. Spaulding et ux.
Harriet M. Powers et ux to Walter M. Moller's Est., C. st.
Theodore E. Parker to Alzina C. Bonnell, Rutland rd.
Ella E. et ux to Theophilus Lefebvre et ux, Main st.
Robert S. Curran by notice to Frank L. Peabody, Burnside st.
Faulstich A. Kenney et al to Alice T. Kane, Pine st.

Alice T. Kane to Frank R. Kenney et ux, Pine st.
George F. Pennington et ux, by trs., to George H. Farr, Liberty st.
Mary E. Poles et al to John Kechner, Lakeview ave.
Harriet M. Powers et al to John H. Conner, Pawtucketville.
Harriet M. Powers et al to Anne E. Mahoney, Pawtucketville.
Harriet M. Powers et al to Ella F. Flood, Pawtucketville.
Anne E. Mahoney et al to Harriet M. Powers, Pawtucketville.
Albert R. Carpenter et al to William A. Waller et al, Middlesex st.
Thomas Dean et ux, by notice to Peter McNamara et ux, Gorham st.
Lizzie L. Spaulding et al to Anna Spaulding, West st.

TEWKSBURY
William J. Follen to Charles G. P. Fox, North st.
Oliver F. Marchant et al to Carl Richard and Schmidt et ux, Main st.
Vilma M. Nichols et al to Howard E. Nichols.
TYNGSBORO
John McBride to Albert Rudkin et ux.
Ransom D. Morse to Murray Parrish et ux.
Ephrem Pallette to Bridget H. Rourke, Willow Dale park.
Joseph Gordon et ux, by trs., to Henry F. Gallagher et ux.
Henry W. Hunt to Clarence S. Whitney et ux.

WESTFORD
Francis C. Hildreth to Joseph A. Leclerc, August Johnson to Malcolm Johnson et ux.
Henry A. Fletcher to Ralph A. Fletcher.
Ella F. Hildreth to Bertha H. Hildreth, Hildreth st.

WILMINGTON
Edward P. Colony, to Mary J. Chisholm, et al, Park st.
Ralph G. Howe, to Eleanor Gordon, Grove ave.
J. W. Wilbur company, Inc., Boston, to Elizabeth A. Hawn, Glen rd.
BILLERICA
Elmer R. Bartlett, to William L. Ackers, Hancock st., Boston.
Aaron Adelman, to Armand Fratelli, Laurel st.
Aaron Adelman, to George E. Kelley, Riverbank terrace.
Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Lucy H. Nemer, Nutting's Lake Park extension.
Edward M. Rickford, to Frederick A. Higgins, Aberdeen st.
Aaron Adelman, to Helen F. Young, Riverbank terrace.
Suburban Land company, Inc., Boston, to Gird J. Boutin, Nutting's Lake Park extension.
Aaron Adelman, to Thomas E. Powell, Arch st.
Fred P. Evans, to George N. Leblanc, et ux., Poland st.

CARLISLE
Oscar R. Spaulding to Manohar Paves.
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Orinda Burpee et ux, by exts., to Medora E. Adams, Littleton rd.
Medora E. Adams, et al to Izora Burpee, Littleton rd.
B. Wilson Dux, to Sigurd W. Blomgren, et ux, Beaulieu st.
John B. Johnson, et ux, to Lars Adell Peterson, et ux.
Albert B. Stanhope to Adam Krasneki, Newfield ave.
Mary E. Stanhope, et al to Adam Krasneki, Adams st.
Lorraine K. Battles to Walter E. Wining.
George W. Day, to Ray A. Clough, Warren ave.

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Edward B. Pierce, et ux, by trs., to William H. Langer.
Alphonse Brunelle, to Cordelia Brunelle, Homestead.
William C. O. Hamer, to Amelia Banister.
Henry Hamer, et ux, by admr., to Amelia Banister.
John B. Richardson, to Fred J. Leblond, Henry st.
Eastern Land Trust by trs. to Manuel Silva, Merrimack Park Addition.
Edward B. Pierce et ux, by trs., to William H. Langer.

BUILDING PERMITS FOR THE WEEK
The United States Building Co. was issued a permit to erect an addition to its wash house in Post street by the building inspector this week. The building will be of wooden construction and the estimated cost is \$1300.
Mrs. Kathleen G. Dwyer was issued a permit to erect a garage at 9 Fifth street, the estimated cost of which is \$300.
Another garage permit was that is-

sued to Abraham Loshinsky for a structure of concrete blocks in Cambridge street. The estimated cost is \$650.
Caroline A. Wallace was granted a permit to erect a four-room dwelling at 15 Baltimore avenue. The estimated cost is \$600.
Stanley Jasinski was given a permit to erect an addition to the one-family dwelling at 63 Coburn street for store purposes. The cost is estimated at \$500.

George K. Topjian plans to erect an addition to the store at 35 Gorham street. The estimated cost is \$500.
Ray E. Manton was granted a permit to build a garage at the rear of 55 Saunders avenue. The estimated cost is \$100.
Other permits issued during the week included the following: Mrs. May E. Sands, piazza, 36 West Meadow road, \$50; Louis Zaher, store front, 131 Middlesex street, \$30; A. Young, garage, rear 35 Nottingham street, \$100; Richard Area, piazza, 1 Court avenue, \$25; Henry Penney, one-family dwelling, 15 West Meadow road, \$150; Patrick Flood, addition for bathroom, 911 Broadway, \$50; Manuel M. Silva, piazza, 23 Bassett, \$50; Mary Lynch, alterations on hen coop, 61 Pinchill, \$50; Michael J. Kelley, change stable to garage, 23 Fifth avenue, \$25; Benjamin Neal, garage, 204 Moody, \$100; P. L. Peabody, new partition for store, 1374 Middlesex, \$25; Eugene Poirier, hen coop, Tilton, \$25; Mary P. Bergeron, piazza, 331 Mammoth road, \$150; James W. Neal, hen coop, 14 Penn avenue, \$25; Paul G. Hanley, hen coop, 69 Esplanade, \$40; Joseph Boucher, hen coop, 75 Lafayette, \$60; Mark J. McGinn, garage, 215 Princeton, \$175; George Guey, hen coop, Allston, \$50.

Dry Law Violations Continued
Today, when his case was called, the prohibition officer reported more than half the sum still owing. Pappas himself, it was discovered, was absent, and an individual who appeared at the bar announced himself as Pappas' employee. The latter, he said, was busy at his store, and didn't have the money to complete the settlement of his fine anyhow. Judge Enright told this herald to go back to Pappas and advise him that the court did not "make any messengers." The representative was also instructed that the defendant had better be on hand before the close of the court session, and with the cash in his possession. Pappas finally appeared, but was within the money. He was ordered committed to jail until his fine is paid. Narcisse Gilbert, who paid \$160, had twelve pint bottles of Canadian whisky concealed beneath a rug at his Moody street store. According to the liquor squad, the home-made was ready for production as evidence, but Gilbert's plea of guilty rendered a presentation of the case and the whisky unnecessary. In the case of Ophelia Bordet, the usual amount was reduced, in view of the fact that the offence was committed nearly two years ago.

RUSSIA MUST REFORM Before U. S. Will Consider Resumption of Trade, Says Hughes' Note

WASHINGTON, March 25.—The American government notified the soviet authorities in Russia yesterday that resumption of trade between Russia and the United States cannot be considered until fundamental changes have been made in the economic system underlying the soviet regime.

Safety of human life, guarantee of property rights, free labor and observance of the sanctity of contracts are among the requirements laid down in a brief note by Sec. Hughes as essential if the doors of commerce between the two countries are once more to be opened.

The note was in reply to the appeal recently addressed by the soviet regime to President Harding and congress, asking that trade relations between the United States and Russia be restored and proposing to send a delegation to the United States to negotiate to that end.

Prior to making a final decision, the Russian trade question was discussed for nearly two hours by President Harding and his cabinet, taking into account a vast collection of data on Russian conditions gathered by the state and commerce departments. In a statement after the note, Sec. Hughes declared the conclusion reached "shows the complete agreement of the views of the whole administration."

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PLAN REDUCTION IN WAGES AND FARES

BOSTON, March 26.—The public trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway company, in a statement issued today, point out that since 1915 the wages of conductors and motormen and miscellaneous employees have been increased from 114.7 per cent to 215.4 per cent.

"We do not believe," the trustees say, "that the pre-war wage or fare levels can be restored, but we are strongly of the opinion that with the reduction of wages in every other industry car riders will look to us to relieve them as far as possible from the burden of high fares by reducing wages of street railway employees in proportion to the decrease in the cost of living."

Last September a board of arbitration awarded the conductors and motormen and miscellaneous employees a 25 per cent increase in wages. This was based upon increased cost of living. Only those who were given this raise in wages will have their wages

reduced 20 per cent on May 2. On that date there will be a substantial reduction in fares in every district in the Bay State system.

In the following the wages in 1915 and 1921 are given in cents per hour: Conductors and motormen—1915, 25.82; 1921, 62 and 68.74; per cent increase, 131.1 and 148.7. Car cleaners—1915, 21.59; 1921, 55; per cent increase, 156.5. Watchmen—1915, 18.35; 1921, 68; per cent increase, 215.4. Armature winders—1915, 28.24; 1921, 63; per cent increase, 123.1. Pitmen—1915, 21.80; 1921, 61; per cent increase, 156.5. Machinists—1915, 27.62; 1921, 63; per cent increase, 125.1. Carpenters—1915, 28.58; 1921, 62; per cent increase, 114.7. General helpers—1915, 20.72; 1921, 68; per cent increase, 179.9. Trackmen—1915, 22.2; 1921, 55; per cent increase, 135.5. Firemen—1915, 27.76; 1921, 66; per cent increase, 137.7. Oilers—1915, 25.93; 1921, 62; per cent increase, 139.1. Assistant engineers—1915, 33.76; 1921, 76; per cent increase, 125.1. Operators of one-man cars.

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Gov. Cox Acts to End Building Strike

BOSTON, March 26.—Governor Cox let it be known today that early next week he would probably name a committee to investigate the building trades' labor troubles in this city and report on what steps should be taken in the public interest. The governor intimated that he had reached the conclusion that there was "something wrong" in the building industry which has been tied up several months by inability of the employers' association and the unions to agree on wage price lists.

DEATHS

PINDAR—Died March 25, in this city, James H. Pindar, in his 77th year, at his home, 35 Oak street. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Frances C. Pindar. Mr. Pindar served as assistant postmaster for a period of 35 years, extending from Civil war time.

SMITH—Miss Bridget Smith died this morning at her home, 400 Concord street. She is survived by three children, Miss Minnie Bushnell; Mrs. Catherine Bushnell; Mrs. Mary E. Smith; and Mrs. E. J. Smith of Boston; one nephew, Edward P. Bushnell of Lowell.

LANDRY—Mrs. Elmira Lebel Landry, aged 71 years, 11 months and 6 days, died this morning at her home, 130 Cumberland road. She leaves seven sons, Auguste, Nathaniel, Louis, Alphonse and Eliezer of this city; John of Taunton, and three daughters, Miss Claudia Landry of this city; Sister Gertrude of British Columbia and Miss Clara Landry.

CONNORS—William, aged 6 months, infant son of Michael J. and Ella (Angelo) Connors, died last night at the home of his parents, 32 Agawam street. Burial took place at 3.30 o'clock this morning in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

FUNERALS

PRESCOTT—The funeral of Marion Prescott took place from the funeral home, 235 Westford street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Asa Reed Dills, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church. Appropriate selections were sung by Mrs. A. J. Laverne and Miss Etta L. Clement, with Mrs. A. J. Laverne at the organ. The attendance was large and the flowers were numerous. Large delegations were present from both the Calvary Baptist church and the high school, of which deceased was an attendant. The bearers were all uncles of the deceased, Leslie, Allyn, Clyde and Benjamin Prescott. Burial was in the lot in St. Patrick's cemetery at Westford. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

BETENCOURT—The funeral of Daniel Betencourt took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his wife, James and Maria Souza Betencourt, 32 Union street. Services were held at St. Anthony's church, the prayers being read by Rev. Fr. Perry. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

KENNEDY—The funeral services of John E. Kennedy were held yesterday afternoon at the home of his parents, 151 Cumberland road. Rev. Henry G. Gurnea, pastor of St. John's Episcopal church, officiated. Burial took place in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. Kimbly. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

SIMARD—The funeral of Joseph A. Simard, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Simard, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, Arlington avenue, Dracut. Burial was in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

CHARON—The funeral of Mrs. Alfred Charon took place Saturday morning at 9.35, from her home, 45 Rogers street. Funeral services were held at St. Peter's church at 10.15. Prayers were read by Rev. Francis Shea. There were numerous floral and spiritual offerings. The bearers were Messrs. John Callahan, John Conley, Thomas Casen, Philip Charon, Patrick Keane and William Lynch. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Francis Shea. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

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Joseph Coleman, of 531 Bridge street, who was operated upon at St. John's hospital a couple of weeks, returned to his home yesterday.

Mr. John J. Hartley, son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hartley, 40 South Whipple street, this city, was recently elected adjutant of the Harold E. Stone Post 506 of Veterans of Foreign Wars, of Plainfield, New Jersey.

At a meeting of the women's division of the republican state committee held at Hotel Bellevue, Boston, at which committees were named for active work, Mrs. Boyden Pillsbury of this city was appointed to the committee on education.

A meeting of the O'Connell district board of the American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic will be held in A.O.H. hall tomorrow, Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Pres. John Barrett will preside, and the principal business will be the election of officers.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rodney Wallace of Fitchburg have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth, to Dr. J. Vincent Melke, son of the late Dr. J. V. Melke of this city. The marriage will take place Saturday, April 2, at the First Parish Unitarian church, Fitchburg.

The Middlesex Women's club will present Pasquale Tallarico, pianist, as the entertainer at the regular meeting of the club Monday afternoon. He has been heard in Lowell frequently and has always received a most cordial reception. His program will be a varied one.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Mary Ruth Bill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman M. Bill, to Mr. Reese Griffin Brooks, the ceremony to take place Saturday, April 2, at All Souls' church at 7.30 p. m. Later a reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents, 523 Andover street.

Manager Benjamin E. Pickett of B. F. Keith's theatre in this city has returned from the fifth annual banquet of the National Vaudeville Managers Protective association held at the Plaza Hotel, New York, Tuesday, March 22. More than 400 managers were present, representing the Keith, Loew, Orpheum, and other circuits. Ben Pickett, president of the association, was the presiding officer and the speakers included E. F. Albee, general manager of the Keith theatres; Mr. Panatier, head of the Panatier circuit; Senator Walters of New York; and Patrick Casey, secretary of the association.

Motion pictures depicting thieving, robbery, murder or suicide will be shown in the Dominion of New Zealand only by order of the government.

LOTS OF HAM AND EGGS FOR EASTER

Ham and eggs are within reach of everybody for the Easter Sunday table this year as fresh eggs are selling as low as 20 cents a dozen, while the price of ham has dropped as low as 25 cents a pound. This is quite a drop if last year's prices are to be taken as a criterion.

Western fresh eggs are selling today at prices ranging from 30 to 35 cents a dozen while the strictly fresh, or in other words eggs from local henneries are worth from 60 to 65 cents a dozen. Last year, as far as can be remembered western fresh were retailing for 55, while strictly fresh were about 70 cents a dozen. Prior to the war eggs were being sold in Lowell during Easter for about 25 cents a dozen, while the price for the strictly fresh was about 35 cents.

A big drop is also noticeable in the prices of ham, which is selling today at from 25 to 29 cents a pound when a whole ham is taken, while the middle cut is worth about 30 or 35 cents a pound. Last year, the price of whole ham was 38 cents a pound, while the cuts were selling for about 40 cents. The pre-war price of ham, it is said, was about 25 cents a pound.

EXTRA CARS FOR EASTER SUNDAY

Evidently the officials of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Co. feel that more people go to church Easter Sunday than on any other Sunday, for arrangements have been made to operate extra-cars on some of the local lines during the morning hours tomorrow. The lines upon which extra cars will be operated are the Highlands, Westford, Middlesex, Gorham and Lakeview avenue, as well as Tewksbury.

PETITION FAVORS PACKING PLANT

Another petition in favor of the granting of a license for the establishment of a packing plant on the site of the former Harvard Brewery plant in Payson street was received by Mayor Perry D. Thompson this morning. It was signed by William E. Harrington, recording secretary of the local division, No. 280, Amalgamated Association of Street and Electrical Railway Employees of America and represented the sentiments of the local union as expressed at a recent meeting. The petition will be presented to the municipal council next Tuesday.

DOCTORS PROTEST PARKING RULES

Five doctors having offices in or near that portion of Central street between Warren and Gorham streets have protested to Mayor Perry D. Thompson against the proposed establishment of a 30-minute stopping rule in that section of Central street, as recommended by the motor vehicle committee of the chamber of commerce.

The doctors contend that Central street is sufficiently wide in the vicinity of Tower's corner to allow extended parking privileges there. They say that at times their office hours stretch to three hours and in view of that fact the inconvenience of a 30-minute stopping rule is very obvious.

The protest, which will come before the municipal council next Tuesday, is signed by Dr. Martin, Dr. Jewett, Dr. Harold C. Leland, Dr. Ralph C. Stewart, Dr. Thomas Forsley, and Dr. William I. Wiggin.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. David E. Rooney of Chelmsford and Miss Marguerite A. Nickerson of this city were married last evening at the parsonage of the Gorham St. P. M. church, 15 Ellsworth street, the officiating clergyman being Rev. N. W. Matthews. The couple were attended by Mr. Harold A. Blakely and Miss Martha E. Potter. They will make their home in East Chelmsford.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to express our profound gratitude for the outpouring of sympathy and condolence on the occasion of the death of our beloved son and brother, James F. Miskella, and to thank most sincerely all those who showed such respect for his memory and brought us such solace in the hour of our sad bereavement.

MRS. ELLEN ANN ELIZABETH and CATHERINE MISKELLA

Criticize the City Library

library, Mr. Wells stated. It was said that the Boston public library is believed to be one of the few similar institutions in the state that has a printing department. With this is a hundred per cent advantage, at which the work of the library is done, and some income is received from the sale of catalogue cards to other libraries. It is stated that the librarian in Boston is far from being certain that the library is not an unnecessary expense and has been considering having the work done by private establishments.

The Lowell "blindery" was operated, according to figures on file in the state house, at an expense for labor of \$4261 in 1920. The employees are a superintendent at a salary of \$28, assistant \$24, and two other assistants at \$15 per week.

Does Not Binding

Librarian Frederick A. Chase said today that the so-called "blindery" department of the city library does not do any binding work. Books are to be rebound or magazines or newspapers placed in permanent bindings, the work is sent outside. The cost of this work last year was \$1204.19. The "blindery," Mr. Chase stated, repairs books that have been damaged or badly worn. Mr. Chase could not furnish any statistics regarding the number of books that were repaired last year, but said that he would be able to do so later.

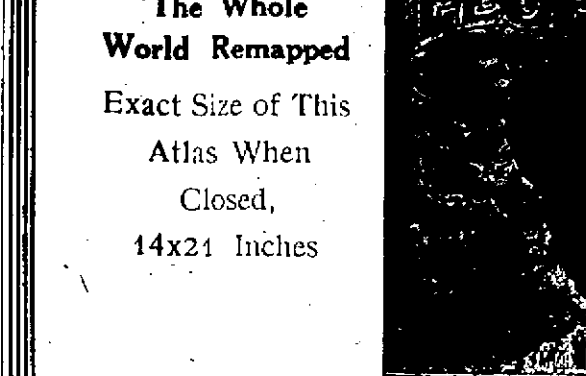
The desirability of having the library conducted on the open shelf system was given approval in the strongest terms by the state department, Mr. Wells asserted. Under this system practically all of the books in a library are placed on shelves that the public can visit and pick out its reading matter after having had a chance to look over and make suitable selections. The system is said to be in wide and successful use in other cities of the size of Lowell.

Might Destroy Books

Mr. Chase has stated that he believes that if the open-shelf system were adopted, the people in the library would tear the books in place of the library shall have an assistant who shall devote all of his or her time to making the library useful to so-called foreigners. The Lowell library is understood to have a considerable number of books in foreign tongues, but these are little used.

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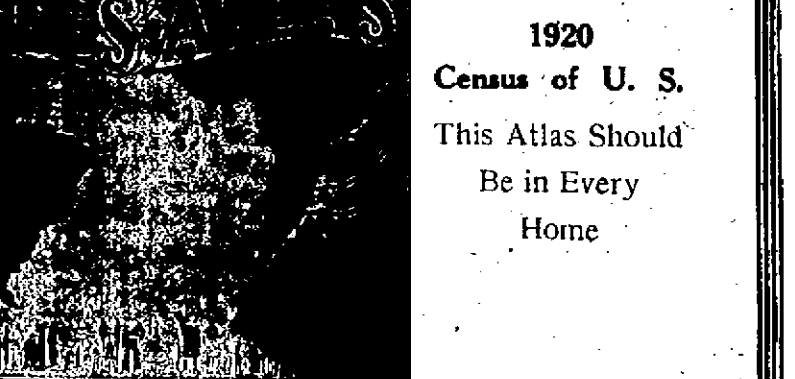
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Monday next is the opening day of the new "Gift Shop" of the Robertson Company in Prescott street.

"Shop," which by the way is on the second floor, may be found one of the best and most complete assortments of gift-needs to be found anywhere.

The "Shop" is ideally located, and the outside effect is that of a pretty little cottage. To each side of the entrance are windows, tastefully dressed, with beautiful flower boxes in front. The entrance itself, has lattice work on either side, with vines and flowers running from top to bottom. On entering the "cottage," one is taken by surprise at the beautiful surroundings.

CHICKENS AND EGGS BY PARCEL POST

No, Uncle Sam is not going into the chicken raising, maple syrup or egg business. The numerous crates filled with little chicks, the scores of maple syrup cans and bottles and the hundreds of cartons containing eggs, which arrive at the local postoffice by parcels post during the past few days, were not consigned to Postmaster Meahan, but only mailed in his care to be delivered to local people.

The postoffice has been one of the busiest spots in the city during the present week, so busy, in fact, that it was necessary to employ extra clerks. This was due to the fact that Vermont and New Hampshire farmers have done a tremendous business here via the mail route.

DOG LICENSES

City Clerk Stephen Flynn calls the attention of owners of dogs that the licenses for the animals for the coming year are payable April 1 and that he is now prepared to issue the certificates as required by law. Every dog three months old or older is subject to license. The fee for male dogs is \$2 and for females, \$5. The penalty for keeping an unlicensed dog is \$15.

New British coins have been issued which contain only half the amount of silver used in the old pieces.